



Columbus Recreation & Parks Department



SUMMER 2011

www.ColumbusRecParks.com



Message from Mayor Michael B. Coleman

This is an exciting time for our city and our Recreation and Parks Department because of our 235 parks, the reopening and improvements to our 28 community centers, and activities at our sports complexes, pools and golf courses, as well as the construction of our new Scioto Mile Park, the expansion of our bike trails, and the growing of our street tree program. These investments make our city and our neighborhoods healthier, greener and more economically competitive.

We've certainly come a long way since our Recreation and Parks Department was first formed in 1910, but the one thing that hasn't changed is our commitment toward providing high quality programs and services now and for the next 100 years. We know that our programs mean so much more to a community than just providing places to play and enjoy the outdoors. Our programs truly have a positive impact on our residents' quality of life. In fact, our centers are the starting point for many young people to learn life skills and to participate in team and individual activities. We promote active, healthy living and our centers are safe environments after school, in the evenings, on weekends and during the summer.

So, I invite you, your family and your friends to join us all year long. Whether it's our special events such as the Jazz & Rib Fest, our summer camps, our trails for hiking and biking, our parks for leisurely strolls, our outdoor education activities, our free swim lessons, our programs for those 50 and older, or our community centers, I know our Recreation and Parks Department is ready to welcome you to be a part of the fun.

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Columbus Recreation and Parks Mission Statement: To enrich the lives of our citizens



Alan D. McKnight

Message from the Director

The Columbus Recreation and Parks Department's mission is "to enrich the lives of our citizens." The programs offered this summer and presented in this brochure live up to that statement. Whether your interest is the arts, the environment or sports, whether you are young or old, we are confident you will find an endeavor that meets your needs.

We understand that the way people use their leisure time directly affects their quality of life. Why? Because, participating in recreational activities improves our health as well as our sense of well-being. So, if you have been enjoying our programs, we hope you will continue to do so. If you haven't visited us for a while, we believe you will be pleasantly surprised and feel good about doing so.

We begin our second 100 years of serving the citizens of Columbus in 2011. We are excited about what the future will bring and want to continue to make Columbus a great place to live, work, raise a family, and best of all to play!

Alan D. McKnight, Director

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www.columbusrecparks.com

www.activenet.active.com/columbusrecparks

www.crpdsports.org

www.hottribscooljazz.org

www.columbusrecparks.com/golf

www.CulturalArtsCenterOnline.org

www.davisprograms.com

www.championsforplay.com

www.columbuscitygolfcourses.com



Camp Expo

2011

Columbus Recreation and Parks Summer Camps

Camp Expo

Thursday, February 24



NO REGISTRATION AT CAMP EXPO

Hours: 6-8 pm

Location:

Franklin Park Adventure Center
1747 East Broad (enter from Broad St.)

What:

- Visit Camp Information Tables
- Talk with Camp Directors
- Learn about online registration
- *Set up Activenet account*

Camp Registration will not occur at the Camp Expo.

Camp Registration begins March 5

- **Online** at www.activenet.active.com/columbusrecparks
Begins at 10 am
- **In-person** at Columbus Recreation and Parks Community Centers
10 am - 4 pm on March 5
- Complete registration information on pages 21 & 22.

www.columbusrecparks.com
For more information, call 645-7000.



The Leisure Card

The Columbus Recreation and Parks Department uses a photo ID, called the Leisure Card, for admission to our swimming pools and community centers. Community centers and the Columbus Aquatics Center process applications for Leisure Cards for a \$1 fee. The card is valid for one year and may be used at any community center or pool. Call your local community center for information and further details. Create your account now at www.activenet.active.com/columbusrecparks.

Proper Identification

Identification is required to receive a Leisure Card. The following forms of ID will be accepted:

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- Driver's License
- State ID
- School Photo ID
- Social Security Card
- Birth Certificate

AGES 18 or Older

- Driver's License
- State ID
- School Photo ID
- Employee Photo ID
- Military Photo ID

P.L.A.Y. Grants

P.L.A.Y. (Private Leisure Assistance for Youth) is an independently funded grant program operated by the Columbus Recreation and Parks Department (CRPD). Anyone age 18 and under from a low income family can apply for grants for programs offered by CRPD. See page 42 in this brochure for more information on this program.



Americans with Disabilities Act

The Columbus Recreation and Parks Department strives to make programs, services and facilities accessible to individuals and families in our community. Columbus Recreation and Parks Department will make reasonable accommodations to programs, services and activities outlined in this brochure to ensure accessibilities to all participants.

Stay in touch...

Phone Numbers

Adult Sports	645-3366
Aquatics.....	645-3129
Permits/Facility Reservations	645-3337
Rain outs Softball/Baseball.....	645-RAIN
Recreation Administration.....	645-3300
Recreation Programs Info.....	645-3334
Street Tree Emergencies.....	645-3350
Summer Camp Information	645-7000
Summer Camp Fax	645-0686
TDD Relay Services	800-750-3317



Community Centers



Administrative Offices
1111 E. Broad Street,
Suite 103
Columbus, 43205

Centers open
June 13 - August 5
Monday - Friday
9 am - 6 pm

Neighborhood community centers will offer fun and wholesome activities for youth this summer. Activities may include: games, kickball, arts and crafts, track and field, music, drama and special events.

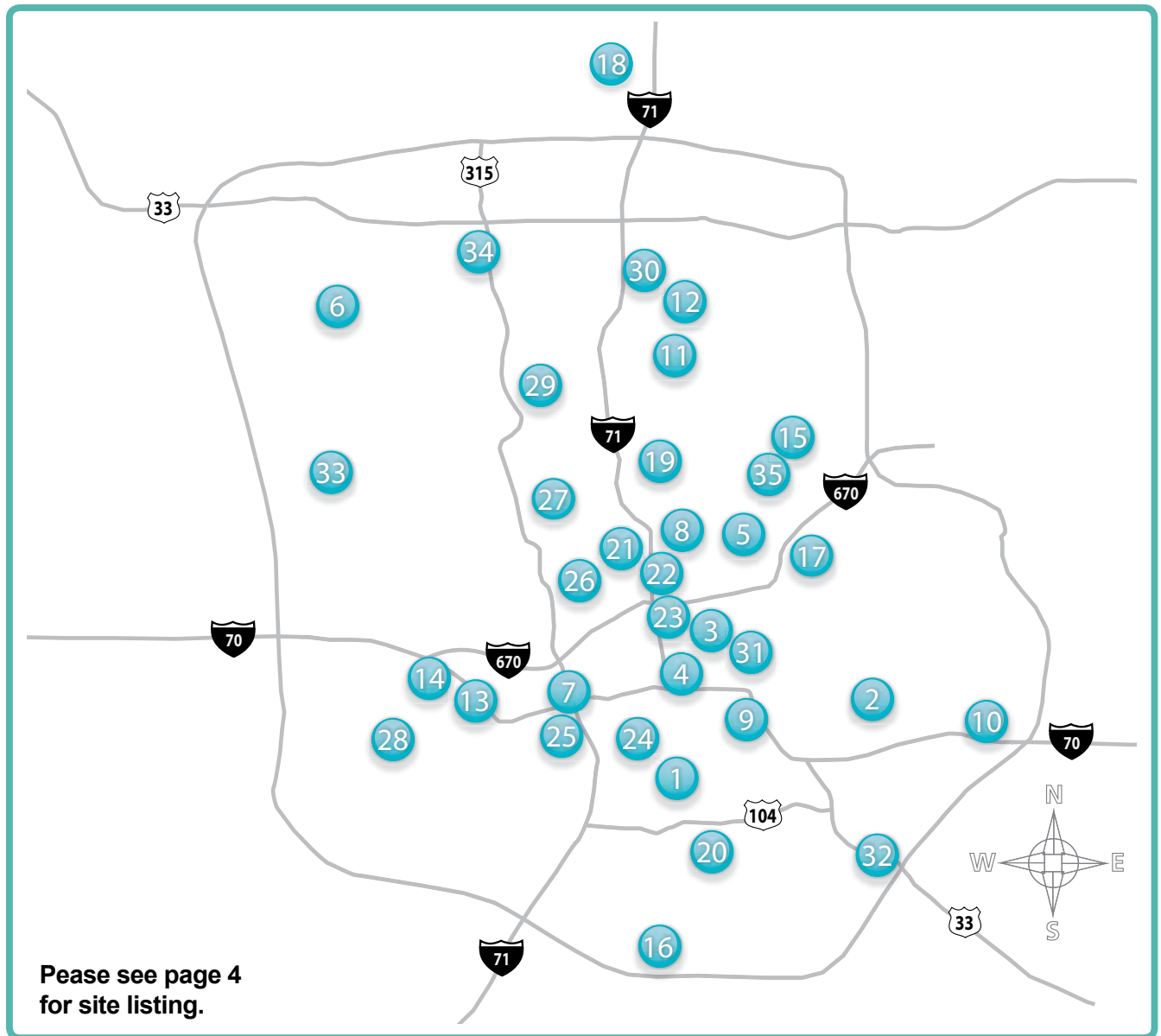
Some centers will stay open later to offer teen and adult programming.

Please contact your center for programming, hours and registration procedures or go to www.columbusrecparks.com.

1	Barack	580 E. Woodrow Ave. (07)	645-3610
2	Barnett	1184 Barnett Rd. (27)	645-3065
3	Beatty	274 N. Ohio Ave. (03)	645-3218
4	Blackburn	263 Carpenter St. (05)	645-7670
5	Brentnell	1280 Brentnell Ave. (19)	645-7640
6	Carriage Place +	4900 Sawmill Rd. (35)	645-3715
7	Dodge #	667 Sullivant Ave. (15)	645-8151
8	Douglas	1250 Windsor Ave. (11)	645-7407
9	Driving Park	1100 Rhoads Ave. (06)	645-3228
10	Far East	1826 Lattimer Dr. (27)	645-3159
11	Feddersen	3911 Dresden St. (24)	645-3083
12	Gillie *+	4625 Morse Centre Dr. (29) In the Morse Centre	645-3106
13	Glenwood	1925 W. Broad St. (23)	645-3282
14	Holton	CLOSED SUMMER 2011	
15	Howard	2505 N. Cassady Ave. (19)	645-3713
16	Indian Mound	3901 Parsons Ave. (07)	645-3224
17	Krumm	854 Alton Ave. (19)	645-3051
18	Lazelle Woods #+	8140 Sancus Blvd. (43081)	645-5330
19	Linden	1254 Briarwood Ave. (11)	645-3067
20	Marion Franklin #	2801 Lockbourne Rd. (07)	645-3160
21	Martin Janis *+	600 E. 11th Ave. (11)	645-5954
22	Milo Grogan	862 E. 2nd Ave (01)	645-7376
23	Sawyer	CLOSED SUMMER 2011	
24	Schiller +	1069 Jaeger St. (06)	645-3156
25	Sullivant	755 Renick St. (23)	645-8171
26	Thompson	1189 Dennison Ave. (01)	645-3082
27	Tuttle	240 W. Oakland Ave. (01)	645-3602
28	Westgate	455 S. Westgate Ave. (04)	645-3264
29	Whetstone#	3923 N. High St. (14)	645-3217
30	Woodward	5147 Karl Rd. (29)	645-3158
31	Franklin Park Adventure Center	1747 E. Broad Street (03)	645-5648
32	Smith Farms +	3285 Watkins Rd. (07)	
33	Indian Village +	3200 Indian Village Dr. (21)	645-3380
34	Antrim Park +	5800 Olentangy River Rd. (35)	
35	Willis Athletic Complex	2520 Mock Rd. (19)	

* Serving the 50+ population
Multi-Generational Centers
+ Not a lunch site

Site Map



**COMMUNITY
RECREATION
COUNCIL**

The participating members of the
Community Recreation Council
proudly support
Columbus Recreation and Parks



Special Summer Programs

Summer Lunch Program

Serving more than 400,000 meals last summer, the summer food service program provides free nutritionally balanced lunches during the summer months at community centers and various agencies throughout the Central Ohio Community. The program is federally funded for those one -18 years old. Some sites may require income proof of eligibility. Serving times and meal types may vary. Check the sites on page 4 for participating community centers or call 645-3642 for more information.



Special events

Special events and day trips will be held all summer at community centers and neighborhood playgrounds. Registration for these will begin on Monday, June 13 at your community center or neighborhood playground. Day trips leave from community centers or neighborhood playgrounds and may require a nominal fee. Space is limited and events are subject to change.

- Climbing Wall
- Columbus Zoo
- Great Art Getaway
- Chiller Ice Skating
- Teens at Great Art Getaway
- Columbus Clippers Day

Hershey Track Meet

Boys and girls, ages 9-14 (age as of December 31, 2011), are invited to participate in the Hershey Track Meet. Winners advance to the state meet for a chance to go to the Nationals in Hershey, PA.

June 22 Whetstone High School

For more information, call Joe Morgan at 645-7640.

Pee Wee Track Meet

We also offer a track meet for ages 6-8 (age as of meet date).

July 13 Walnut Ridge High School

Ice Hockey

The Columbus Recreation and Parks Department and the Columbus Ice Hockey Club (CIHC) will offer instructional sessions at the Easton Chiller for boys and girls. This will combine power skating and skill development in the areas of stick-handling, passing, shooting and positional play. Players will be evaluated and given a skills assessment at the end of the four sessions. Players must have their own equipment and have skated in an organized hockey league or taken and passed a Learn-to-Skate program with the CIHC or the Chiller over the past year. (Equipment can be rented.)

All coaches are USA Hockey certified.

Contact John Haferman at 614-769-0282 for more information and scholarship availability.

Fee: \$50 per player for four classes and evaluation

Ages 5-10

June 15: Mandatory Skill Level Evaluation

Ages: 5-8 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Ages: 9-10 7:00 - 8:00 pm

Class dates: June 29, July 13, 27 & Aug. 10

Beginner/Intermediate: 6:00 - 7:15 pm

Advanced: 7:30 - 9:00 pm

Ages 11-17

June 22: Mandatory Skill Level Evaluation

Ages: 11-13 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Ages: 14-17 7:00 - 8:00 pm

Class dates: July 6, 20 & Aug. 3, 17

Beginner/Intermediate: 6:00 - 7:25 pm

Advanced: 7:30 - 9:00 pm

Teen Late Night Basketball

Basketball for ages 13-18 will be offered at four community centers this summer. This program will be held June 13 - Aug. 4 from 6 -10 pm at the following sites on the specified day only.

Monday - Douglas

Tuesday - Dodge

Wednesday - Driving Park

Thursday - Woodward Park

Registration will be at the site. Leisure Cards are required.



Playgrounds



4 Day Art & Play... coming to a neighborhood near you!

"4 Day Art & Play" will transform your neighborhood park for four fantastically fun days with art and physical sport activities for children ages six and older. Create individual and group art projects, possibly run a watery obstacle course, or win the "Mystery Contest" of the day. Make music and invent new games, or scale the climbing wall. "4 Day Art & Play" promises a different event/adventure everyday. All you need to do is bring your imagination, enthusiasm, and a smile. It's all **FREE** courtesy of the Columbus Recreation and Parks Department!!!

Date	Park	Address	Zip
June 13-16	Joan Park	1927 Myrtle Ave.	43211
June 20-23	John Burroughs	2585 Sullivant Ave.	43204
June 27-30	Kenlawn Park	1679 E. Brighton Rd.	43224
July 11-14	Independence	3075 Arrowsmith Dr.	43068
July 18-21	Saunders Park	1380 Atcheson St.	43203
July 25-28	Strawberry Farms	3591 Watt Rd.	43230
Aug 1-4	Riverbend	1609 Bluhm Rd.	43223

Hours

Monday - Thursday
9 am - 5:30 pm

Registration

Monday - Thursday
9 - 9:15 am daily on site.
Pre-Registration not required.

4 Day Art & Play Daily Schedule

9-9:30 am	Registration
9:15-9:45 am	Free Breakfast (18 and under)
9:45-10:15 am	Drumming/Music Making
10:15-11 am	Warm-up Exercises
11 am-12:45 pm	Sports and Physical Activities
1-1:45 pm	Free Lunch (18 and under)
1:45-2:30 pm	Create and Develop a Project to Show
2:30-3:30 pm	Special Event and Special Guest Star
3:30-5:00 pm	Art of the Day
5:00-5:30 pm	Clean-up



All playground activities are designed for children six years of age or older. Children under six may come to the playground when under the care of an adult or responsible teenager.

Neighborhood Playgrounds

Recreation leaders will invade two parks this summer to offer eight weeks of never-ending fun and games. The leaders will offer a safe and fun place for children to play. Kids will be able to participate in a variety of activities including sports, arts and crafts, music, drama, games and special events.

Dates & Hours: June 13 - Aug 5
Monday - Friday
10 am - 4 pm

Locations

Southeast Lions Park	185 Barthman Ave.	43207
Cremeans Park	3146 Maize Rd.	43224

Registration is done on site.



Swimming Pools

The Columbus Recreation and Parks Department will operate four pools this summer throughout the city. Admission is FREE but all participants are required to have a CRPD Leisure Card. All schedules are subject to change.

Pool Locations

Dodge	545 Sullivant Ave.	645-7365
Marion Franklin	2699 Lockbourne Rd.	645-3161
Tuttle	240 W. Oakland Ave.	645-3603
Windsor	1300 Windsor Ave.	645-3607

Sprayground

Barnett Center	1184 Barnett Rd.	645-3065
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The following pools will be closed this summer:

Aquatics Center
Blackburn
Fairwood
Glenwood
Lincoln
Maryland

Instructional Programs

All classes are offered free by certified Water Safety Instructors at all pools. Times are subject to change.

Children

Learn-To-Swim (ages 6 & up)	Mon-Thurs 12:30pm & 6:30pm
Learn-To-Swim (ages 3-5)	Sat-Sun 12:30pm
Competitive Swimming	Mon-Thurs 11:30am

Adults

Learn-To-Swim	Sat-Sun 12:30pm
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Sessions

Ages 6 & up

Session	Registration (11:30 am)	Class Begins	Class Ends
1	June 12	June 13	June 23
2	June 19	June 27	July 7
3	July 3	July 11	July 21
4	July 17	July 25	Aug 4

Ages 3-5 & Adults (Weekend Classes)

Session	Registration (11:30 am)	Class Begins	Class Ends
1	June 12	June 18	July 3
2	July 3	July 9	July 24
3	July 17	July 30	Aug 14



Hours: Daily 1:30 - 6:30 pm
Tuttle: 1:30 - 7:30 pm
Sprayground: Noon - 7:30 pm

All pools open June 12.

Sprayground opens June 11.

Aquatics

Administrative Offices
1160 Hunter Ave.

Administrative Supervisor:
John Gloyd
645-3129

Registration for Classes

Registration for classes may be done at the pool or over the phone. You may only register three participants per person.

Registration dates are for new participants only. Participants currently enrolled in a class must wait until the last day of class to re-register.

- Learn-To-Swim classes for ages 6 & up meet for two weeks.
- Learn-To-Swim classes for adults and ages 3-5 meet for three weeks.
- Session dates listed on the left.

The Leisure Card

The Columbus Recreation and Parks Department (CRPD) uses the Leisure Card, a photo ID, for admission to our swimming pools. See Page 3 for additional information.

Tennis



The Columbus Recreation and Parks Department offers many opportunities for all ages to learn and play tennis. For the more competitive player, there is the Central Ohio Tennis Tournament. For information on our weeklong tennis camp for children, please see page 17. The following programs are all sponsored by:

Greater



Columbus Tennis Association
Affiliated with USTA

USA Tennis 1,2,3.

Adults

A Recreation Tennis League will begin this summer. More information coming soon!

Tennis classes for adults (minimum age of 16 at time of lessons) are offered during the spring, summer and fall at the following locations:

- **Schiller, Whetstone and Woodward** community centers (sites may change depending on number of people registered per site).
- Classes are offered for six weeks, one hour a week, and are open to the beginner through the advanced player. Maximum of 12 players per class.
- Cost is \$30 per person each session plus two cans of balls.

Registration Register and pay online at www.activenet.active/columbusrecparcs. Click the "Location" down arrow and select "Adult Tennis." An account will have to be created if not already established.

Spring Session: Register beginning April 4. Session runs April 18-June 4.

Summer Session: Register beginning May 23. Session runs June 13-July 30.

Fall Session: Register beginning July 20. Session runs Aug.15-Oct. 1.

Contact Kelly Hoffman at 645-3715 or kmhoffman@columbus.gov.

Kids

Tennis Tots and Tennis Stars

Ages 4-6 • Ages 6-8

Fee: \$10 Tots • \$15 Stars

For schedules and registration, please visit www.columbusrecparcs.com.

Registration will begin May 1.

It's never too early to start playing tennis! This eight-week program will introduce the young player to the game of tennis. Basic tennis skills, games and fun will fill the weekly lesson which will be offered at three locations: Whetstone, Westgate and Wolfe Parks. Class will meet once a week for 45 minutes.

USA 1,2,3 National Junior Tennis League

Ages 9-14 • Fee: \$20 (includes lessons, league play and team T-shirt)

For schedules and registration, please visit www.columbusrecparcs.com.

Registration will begin May 1.

Instruction and match play offered for beginning players. All players will receive 1 1/2 hours of coaching per week with weekly scheduled match play. The NJTL program is offered at three locations:

Whetstone, Westgate and Wolfe Parks.

2011 Central Ohio Tennis Tournament (COTT)

The Columbus Recreation and Parks Department in conjunction with the Central Ohio Grand Prix (COGP) coordinate the COTT, the longest running tennis tournament in Central Ohio! This single elimination tournament offers singles, doubles and mixed doubles draws with age divisions ranging from 12 & under to 70 & over.

Sites: Wolfe Park and Champions Tennis Club

Youth and Adult participants play all matches at Wolfe Park. Seniors play at Champions.

Dates: Tournament play July 5-11; entry deadline July 1.

Divisions: All events offer an open division and a wheelchair division. All entrants receive a T-shirt, winners and runner-ups receive an award.

Men's Singles: 10 different age divisions from 12 & under to 70 & over.

Women's Singles: 8 different age divisions from 12 & under to 60 & over.

Doubles: 15 different age divisions. Men's 14-65, Women's 14-55.

Mixed Doubles: 5 different age divisions from 18 to 55 & over.

Fees: \$15 singles; \$20 doubles. (discount for COGP members)

Registration: Register online at www.cogp.com. Registration begins two weeks prior to the beginning of the tournament and ends the Friday before the tournament.



Special Programs

QuickStart Tennis

Whetstone Park

Wednesdays, June 22 - August 3 6 - 7:30 pm

3923 N. High St., 43214

Two age groups: Ages 8 & under and Ages 10 & under

Program in partnership with the United States Tennis Association (USTA)

Fee \$65 which includes racquet, tennis ball, water bottle and much more.

QuickStart Tennis is a new format to help kids ages 10 and under learn and play the game of tennis.

To make it easier for them, we've changed a few things including the court sizes, the racquet sizes, the balls, the scoring system and even the net height. Any child between the ages of five and 10 can start playing tennis almost immediately, even if they have never picked up a racquet before. To learn more about the program, visit www.quickstarttennis.com or www.usta.com.

Please call 645-3264 for more tennis information. To register go to: www.midwestteamentennis.com.

Registration ends May 27.

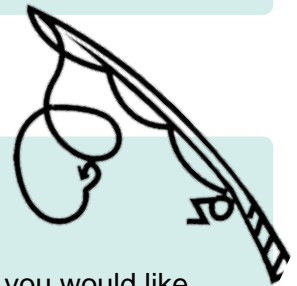


Boxing

Columbus Recreation and Parks offers amateur boxing at these six community centers:

Barack • Beatty • Blackburn • Dodge • Douglas • Thompson

Each center offers boxing to anyone, male or female, from the ages of eight to adult. Call the center for practice times. Every participant must be registered with USA Amateur Boxing to train in our facilities. Registration fee is \$50 a year, valid Jan. to Jan. Participants over the age of 18 must pay an additional fee of \$25 every quarter to help fund our youth boxing program. Professionals wishing to train at our centers pay \$50 every quarter. Our teams travel to neighboring cities to compete in state and regional competition as well as hosting local club shows and tournaments. We are always looking for individuals who are willing to judge, time, and referee at our local shows. For more information about our boxing program, call John Frissora at Lazelle Woods Community Center, 645-5330, or email him at jfrissora@columbus.gov.



Fishing

Fishing classes will be held every Friday, June 17 - Aug. 5 for children, ages 6-14.

Classes will be held at the following sites (please call site for time):

Krumm • Linden • Schiller • Westgate • Whetstone

All supplies (bait, pole, tackle) are provided, but you can bring your own supplies if you would like.

Children who attend class are eligible for special trips to Lake Erie or Hargus Lake.

Register beginning June 13 at any of the sites listed. This program is free, but space is limited.

Hockey

Columbus Recreation and Parks has teamed up with the Columbus Blue Jackets to provide opportunities to play hockey — ice, street and inline. Street hockey clinics and ice skating will be provided this summer. The indoor season includes the Street Jackets hockey at 17 sites, ice skating programs (Nov.-Mar.), ice hockey and inline hockey.

Dodge, Krumm Park and Tuttle Community Centers have outdoor street/inline hockey rinks.

For more information contact, John Haferman at jmhaferman@columbus.gov or 769-0282.



Youth Camps



Looking for a summer camp experience? Then you've come to the right place. We offer many different camp opportunities from art to soccer. Pick a camp, register and let the fun begin!



CIT Program

Camp Counselors In Training

The CIT program is now taking applications for the Summer of 2011. This program is for youth volunteers, ages 13-17 and is offered at these locations:

- 4 Day Art & Play
- Barnett Center
- Basketball Camp
- Brentnell Center
- Camp Barnett
- Camp Buckeye
- Camp Lazelle
- Camp Woodward
- Hockey Camp
- Therapeutic Camps
- Track and Field Camp

Staff will assist the CIT's with all aspects of their duties to help find the next generation of recreation leaders. CIT's will be needed Mon-Fri from 9 am-4 pm on a weekly basis. Each camp will take a maximum of 2-3 CIT's a week. For your CIT application, email volunteers@columbus.gov or call 645-3325. All applications must be received by April 1. Those chosen will be notified by phone.

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Youth Camps

Camp Barnett

Listed on Activenet under
"Recreation Center Camps and Great Art Getaway."

Ages 6-12 (age as of first day of camp)

Your children will have a fantastic time at Camp Barnett where all participants will explore multifaceted programming captivating their attention through fun, weekly activities. Each week will highlight a different theme along with multiple events that are identifiable with leisure time, recreation and social entertainment. Campers will be able to enjoy programs with the Livingston Library, Metro Parks, OSU 4-H, COSI, Eastland Lanes, USA East, Big Splash and Barnett's Sprayground Playground. An opportunity to make new friends while having fun participating in various activities can all be found at Camp Barnett. (There may be additional expenses for some field trips.)

Site & Hours

Barnett Community Center

1184 Barnett Rd., 43227

9 am - 4 pm

Flexible drop off time between 7:15-9 am

Flexible pick up time between 4-6 pm

All children must arrive by 9 am and must be picked up no later than 6 pm.

Fee

Residents: \$80 per week, per child

Non-Residents: \$96

Session 4: Residents \$65; Non-Residents \$80

Breakfast and lunch provided.

See pages 21 & 22 for registration information.

SESSIONS

1 June 13-17	Hot Fun in the Summertime
2 June 20-24	Super Sports Week
3 June 27-July 1	Travel Around the World (Int'l Week)
4 July 5-8 (Closed July 4)	Having a Ball
5 July 11-15	Super Fit 'N Healthy Kids
6 July 18-22	Amazing Adventures
7 July 25-29	Water World
8 Aug. 1-5	Special Events

Camp Buckeye

Listed on Activenet under
"Recreation Center Camps and Great Art Getaway."

Ages 6-12 (age as of first day of camp)

Camp Buckeye returns and FUN is #1 on the agenda all day, every day. But more is offered than just "Fun in the Sun", campers will go on field trips, meet special guests and participate in special events. The park will be utilized to it's fullest through nature activities, art projects, sports and group games galore. Campers with good attitudes, lots of energy and a desire to make new friends are wanted. And don't worry, Tuttle swimming pool is also on the agenda.

Site & Hours

Tuttle Community Center

240 W. Oakland Ave., 43201

9 am - 4 pm

Flexible drop off time between 7:15-9 am

Flexible pick up time between 4-6 pm

All children must arrive by 9 am and must be picked up no later than 6 pm.

Fee

Residents: \$80 per week, per child

Non-Residents: \$96

Session 4: Residents \$65; Non-Residents \$80

Breakfast and lunch provided.

See pages 21 & 22 for registration information.

SESSIONS

1 June 13-17	Team Collaboration & Fitness
2 June 20-24	Ooey Gooley, Food, Fitness & Fun
3 June 27-July 1	The Arts, Creativity & Dance
4 July 5-8 (Closed July 4)	American Gladiator
5 July 11-15	Nature, Science & Animal Discovery
6 July 18-22	Olympic Games
7 July 25-29	Waterworld
8 Aug. 1-5	Save the Earth

Youth Camps



Camp Far East

Listed on Activenet under
"Recreation Center Camps and Great Art Getaway."

Ages 6-12 (age as of first day of camp)

Camp Far East is your new destination for summer fun. We will focus on developing your child's social and physical development through structured and organized programs. Our goal is to create a fun and welcoming environment for all participants. Activities will vary to allow campers to try new things and participate in some old favorites. Field trips will include swimming, the Columbus Zoo and skating. (Field trips are subject to change and could require a small additional fee.)

Site & Hours

Far East Community Center

1826 Lattimer Dr., 43227

9 am - 4 pm

Flexible drop off time between 7:15-9 am

Flexible pick up time between 4-6 pm

All children must arrive by 9 am and must be picked up no later than 6 pm.

Fee

Residents: \$80 per week, per child

Non-Residents: \$96

Session 4: Residents \$65; Non-Residents \$80

Breakfast and lunch provided.

See pages 21 & 22 for registration information.

SESSIONS

1 June 13-17	Welcome Week
2 June 20-24	Relay Week
3 June 27-July 1	Wet & Wild - part 1
4 July 5-8 (Closed July 4)	All American
5 July 11-15	Holidays
6 July 18-22	Outdoor <u>Ed</u> venture
7 July 25-29	Wet & Wild - part 2
8 Aug. 1-5	Best of the Best

Camp Lazelle

Listed on Activenet under
"Recreation Center Camps and Great Art Getaway."

Ages 6-12 (age as of first day of camp)

Camp Lazelle offers a variety of fun learning and recreational opportunities to enhance your child's summer. The activities will include arts & crafts, group games, special events, physical activities, drama and talent experiences and special visitors from the Metro Parks and 4-H. The camp staff will provide a safe, engaging and structured environment for campers. Field trips will include swimming, the Columbus Zoo & Aquarium and skating. (Field trips are subject to change and could require a small additional fee.)

Come, join the fun at Camp Lazelle!

Site & Hours

Lazelle Woods Community Center

8140 Sancus Blvd., 43081

9 am - 4 pm

Flexible drop off time between 7:15-9 am

Flexible pick up time between 4-6 pm

All children must arrive by 9 am and must be picked up no later than 6 pm.

Fee

Residents: \$80 per week, per child

Non-Residents: \$96

Session 4: Residents \$65; Non-Residents \$80

Breakfast and lunch not provided.

See pages 21 & 22 for registration information.

SESSIONS

1 June 13-17	Ooey, Gooey!
2 June 20-24	Where in the World?
3 June 27-July 1	Gamesapalooza
4 July 5-8 (Closed July 4)	Water Wonderland
5 July 11-15	Camp Lazelle's Got Talent
6 July 18-22	Arts and Crafts Craze
7 July 25-29	Five Days of Drama
8 Aug. 1-5	Animal Antics



Youth Camps

Camp Whetstone

Listed on Activenet under
"Recreation Center Camps and Great Art Getaway."

Ages 6-12 (age as of first day of camp)

Are you bored in the summer and ready to do something different and exciting? Then join us at Camp Whetstone where you can make new friends, learn a craft, fish, participate in different sports or just show off your skills in one of your favorite games. Campers will attend many special events, go on a few field trips and enjoy a variety of clinics and speakers related to the weekly theme (some field trips and special events may require an additional fee to be paid the week of the event). Sign up and be ready to participate! Make some lifelong memories and friends this summer at the always exciting Camp Whetstone!!

Site & Hours

Whetstone Community Center

3923 N. High St., 43214

9 am - 4 pm

Flexible drop off time between 7:15-9 am

Flexible pick up time between 4-6 pm

All children must arrive by 9 am and must be picked up no later than 6 pm.

Fee

Residents: \$80 per week, per child

Non-Residents: \$96

Session 4: Residents \$65; Non-Residents \$80

Breakfast and lunch provided.

See pages 21 & 22 for registration information.

Sessions

1 June 13-17	Team & Cooperation Week
2 June 20-24	Ball-A-Rama
3 June 27-July 1	Health & Fitness
4 July 5-8 (Closed July 4)	Artistic Week
5 July 11-15	Animals & Nature
6 July 18-22	Wet 'N Wild
7 July 25-29	Wacky Olympics & Relays
8 Aug. 1-5	Kids' Choice

Camp Woodward

Listed on Activenet under
"Recreation Center Camps and Great Art Getaway."

Ages 6-12 (age as of first day of camp)

Your kids will never be bored at Camp Woodward. Our camp offers a variety of opportunities for your child to learn, be physically active, explore and have fun. We will again have fun "theme" weeks with plenty to do for everyone from artists to athletes. Kids will participate in activities like scavenger hunts, talent shows, science experiments and group games. We will have field trips to the zoo, skating and swimming (field trips are subject to change and may require a small fee.) So come to Camp Woodward where you bring a great attitude and take home a smile!

Site & Hours

Woodward Community Center

5147 Karl Rd., 43229

9 am - 4 pm

Flexible drop off time between 7:15-9 am

Flexible pick up time between 4-6 pm

All children must arrive by 9 am and must be picked up no later than 6 pm.

Fee

Residents: \$80 per week, per child

Non-Residents: \$96

Session 4: Residents \$65; Non-Residents \$80

Breakfast and lunch provided.

See pages 21 & 22 for registration information.

Sessions

1 June 13-17	Adventureland
2 June 20-24	Into the Wilderness
3 June 27-July 1	Challenger Week
4 July 5-8 (Closed July 4)	Holiday Celebrations
5 July 11-15	Mad Science
6 July 18-22	Camp Woodward's Got Talent
7 July 25-29	Surf Safari
8 Aug. 1-5	Time Travelers

Youth Camps



Hockey Camp Street - Ice - Roller

Boys & girls ages 6-17

Each camper will receive individual instruction from qualified camp staff while participating in drills, contests and team play. This camp stresses that all campers participate and be involved with all activities which will enable them to improve their hockey skills and develop their fitness level. Campers need to come prepared to learn and have fun.

Session 9 • August 8-12

Dodge Community Center 667 Sullivant Ave., 43215

Fee: \$80 for residents

\$96 for non-residents

Hours: 9 am - 4 pm

- Flexible drop off between 7:30-9 am
- Flexible pick up between 4-6 pm

Breakfast and lunch provided.

- Special Activities:**
- Learn to skate at an ice rink
 - Stick and Puck sessions
 - Roller skating at Dodge
 - Equipment provided



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Traditional Digital Dance (TD²) Camp

Sessions: To be determined

King Arts Complex

867 Mt. Vernon Ave., 43203

Ages: 8-17

Fee: \$80 for residents

\$96 for non-residents

Campers will be taught basic to advanced movement in hip hop as well as an infusion of traditional (West African and swing) styles. For more information, contact Malik Willoughby at 645-7640 or mawilloughby@columbus.gov.



Youth Camps

Cheerleading Camp

Ages 6-16 (age as of first day of camp)

Come out and enjoy a week of fun! Participants will be taught the basics of stunting, tumbling, jumps, motions and much, much more. Our experienced instructors will work with kids of all ages (6-16) and skill levels to reach their goals and stay safe, all while having fun. But it's not all work and no play - expect water games and sprinklers on hot days. This year's camp will be taught by the same instructors as last year's camp, and returning participants will tell you they had an awesome time. Campers must bring a clean pair of tennis shoes.

Session 9

August 8-12

Site & Hours

Whetstone Community Center

3923 N. High St., 43214

9 am - 4 pm

Flexible drop off time between 8-9 am

Flexible pick up time between 4-6 pm

All children must arrive by 9 am and must be picked up no later than 6 pm.

Fee

Residents: \$80 per week, per child

Non-Residents: \$96

Breakfast and lunch provided.

See pages 21 & 22 for registration information.

DAILY SCHEDULE

9:15-10:15	• Warm-up and stretch
10:15-11:00	• First Rotation
11:00-11:45	• Second Rotation
11:45-12:30	• Third Rotation
12:30-1:00	• Lunch
1:00-1:30	• Afternoon Stretch
1:30-2:15	• Fourth Rotation
2:15-2:45	• Afternoon Snack
2:45-3:30	• Fifth Rotation

Gymnastics Camp

Ages 6-16 (age as of first day of camp) **Ages 14-16 must be at level 4 to attend.**

The Columbus Recreation and Parks Summer Gymnastics Camps are offered as one week camps for beginner through competitive levels. Each participant will be given a skills test the first day so that they are placed in the appropriate level. Both camps will offer gymnasts instruction on vault, balance beam, bars and floor, as well as conditioning and strengthening.

Session 0

June 6 - 10*

Session 8

August 1 - 5

Fee

Residents: \$80 per week, per child

Non-Residents: \$96

Breakfast and lunch provided.

See pages 21 & 22 for registration information.

Site & Hours

Whetstone Community Center

3923 N. High St., 43214

9 am - 4 pm

Flexible drop off time between 8-9 am

Flexible pick up time between 4-6 pm

All children must arrive by 9 am and must be picked up no later than 6 pm.

*Transportation for Session 0 only

Transport participants to Whetstone on your own or choose to be picked-up and dropped-off for an extra \$20 per week.

Pick up/Drop off Location: Jerry Hammond Center, 1111 E. Broad St.

Campers will leave the Jerry Hammond Center at 7:30 am and return at 5:30 pm.

Campers must be picked up at the drop off time. **There is no flexible drop off or pick up time when using transportation.**

Youth Camps



Football Camp

Session 4 • July 5-8 (Tuesday-Friday)

Capital University

2199 E. Main St., 43209

Ages • Boys and Girls ages 6-14

Fee: \$69 for residents

\$82 for non-residents

Hours: 9 am - 4 pm

- No flexible drop off or pick up times.

Columbus Recreation and Parks is partnering with the Capital University Crusaders to offer this unique football experience. Campers will learn the basic fundamentals of football including basic offensive and defensive positions as well as special teams. The camp will be taught by CRPD staff (former Ohio State players) and Capital Crusaders' coaching staff.

Tennis Camp

Session 1 • June 13-17

Whetstone Tennis Courts

3923 N. High St., 43214

Session 5 • July 11-15

Whetstone Tennis Courts

3923 N. High St., 43214

Ages: 7-14

Fee: \$80 for residents

\$96 for non-residents

Hours: 9 am - 4 pm

- No flexible drop off or pick up times.
- Bring your own lunch.

A week filled with tennis instruction, drills and games. Novice players will gain a better understanding of the game while learning basic skills. Intermediate and advanced players will enhance their skills and develop on-court strategies for match play. All skill levels will end the week with fun "Challenger Tournaments." Lunch time will be filled with fun non-tennis activities.

A limited number of tennis racquets are available for use. All tennis balls will be supplied.

Track & Field Camp

Session 1 • June 13-17

Far East Community Center

1826 Lattimer Dr., 43227

Session 2 • June 20-24

Whetstone Park and High School

3923 N. High St., 43214

Ages: 9-14 (age as of 12/31/2011)

Fee: \$80 for residents

\$96 for non-residents

Hours: 9 am - 4 pm

- Flexible drop off between 8-9 am
- Flexible pick up between 4-6 pm
- Lunch provided.

Participants will have the opportunity to compete in the Hershey Track Meet on June 22.

Skills covered:

- | | |
|-------------|----------|
| • Sprinting | • Jumps |
| • Distance | • Throws |
| • Hurdles | • Relays |





Next Level Basketball Camp

Ages 4-17 (age as of first day of camp)

The Next Level Basketball Camp is an instructional camp that stresses participation, involvement, fitness and fun! Whether you are a beginner wanting to learn the game of basketball or an experienced player looking to improve your game, this camp is for you! We teach the fundamentals of the game. Each player will receive instruction from college and pro basketball players so that he or she can become a better player. This high energy camp requires players to come ready to participate and to have fun in a friendly, safe and fun atmosphere!

Fee & Registration

Sessions 1 • 2 • 3 • 5 • 6 • 7

Residents: \$80 per week, per child

Non-Residents: \$96

Session 4 • Lil Dribblers

Residents: \$40 per week, per child

Non-Residents: \$48

See pages 21 & 22 for registration information.



Next Level Camp Includes:

Breakfast and Lunch

Individual Evaluations

Camp T-shirt

Guest Speakers and Events

Weekly Camp Championships,

Showcases and Contests

Sessions

All camps are coed unless otherwise stated.

- | | | |
|---|------------------------------|--------------------|
| 1 | June 13-17 | ages 7-9 |
| 2 | June 20-24 | ages 10-14 |
| 3 | June 27-July 1 | ages 7-12 |
| 4 | July 5-8 Lil Dribblers | ages 4-6 |
| | Half Day Session 9 am - noon | |
| | (4 days, no camp July 4) | |
| 5 | July 11-15 Girls only | ages 9-17 |
| 6 | July 18-22 High Intensity | <u>grades</u> 8-12 |
| 7 | July 25-29 | ages 11-15 |

Site

Willis Athletic Complex
2520 Mock Rd., 43219

Hours

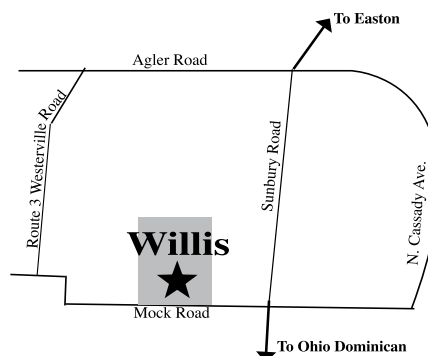
9 am - 4 pm • Mon - Fri

- All campers must be at camp by 9 am.
- Flexible drop off between 7:15-9 am
- Flexible pick up 4-6 pm
- No flexible drop off or pick up - session 4.

HIGH INTENSITY POSITION CAMP FOR PLAYERS IN GRADES 8-12

JULY 18 - 22

For the serious player who wants to learn about speed, strength, balance, mental toughness, explosion and performance while incorporating basketball fundamentals.



Great Art Getaway



Ages 6-12 and Teens, Ages 12-16 (age as of first day of camp)

Come and experience the Great Art Getaway at beautiful Smith Farms (Three Creeks). Choose session two or six (Teen Week) to camp out on Thursday night or one of the other sessions to spend five full days on the farm doing art and nature activities. Create unique performances from themes like: Crazy Veggies, Monster Mayhem, Funky Tut and a Farmer's Life. Come learn about a different artist or art genre each week and join in different nature activities and water games all summer long. We'll search for bones, fossils and animal tracks on our nature hikes and discuss what birds and trees live at Smith Farms. We'll sculpt, carve, build, paint, print, play and hike the summer away!

Site

Smith Farms

3285 Watkins Rd., 43207

Fee & Registration

Residents: \$80 per week, per child

Non-Residents: \$96

See pages 21 & 22 for registration information.

Sessions

1 • June 13-17 • No Camp

2 • June 20-24 • ages 6-12: Thursday overnight

3 • June 27-July 1 • ages 6-12: No overnight

4 • July 5-8 • ages 6-12 • No camp;

Sign up at your local center for a day visit.

5 • July 11-15 • ages 6-12: No overnight

6 • July 18-22 • ages 12-16 (Teen Week):

Thursday overnight

7 • July 25-29 • ages 6-12: No overnight

8 • Aug. 1-5 • ages 6-12: No overnight

Performance Themes

(Subject to change)

Crazy Veggies

Monster Mayhem

Native American

Funky Tut: All Things Egyptian

A Farmer's Life

What's Cookin'?

Teen Week at The Great Art Getaway

July 18-22: Ages 12-16

Theme: Funky Tut- All Things Egyptian

Come on out to the farm! It will be the best week of your summer. Join us for lampworking (glass bead making), sand painting, batik/tie-dyeing, wood-burning, water games, volleyball, scavenger hunts, hiking, and more. Create your own stage performance based on this year's theme and camp out on Thursday night with friends.

Hours

Sessions 3, 5, 7 & 8: Mon-Fri, 9 am-4 pm

- Performances for parents will be held on Friday afternoons.

Session 2 & 6 (Teen week): Mon-Wed, 9 am-4 pm

Thurs 9 am - Fri 11 am

- Thursday is an overnight for campers only.
- Performance for parents will be held on Thursday evening.
- Camp ends at 11 am Friday, flexible pick up until 1 pm at Farm only.
- Dinner provided Thursday night for campers only and breakfast provided Friday morning.

Flexible drop off at the farm between 7:30-9 am

Flexible pick up at the farm between 4-6 pm

- No breakfast or lunch provided. Children will need to bring a lunch each day.



Transportation

- Transport participants to Smith Farms on your own or choose to be picked-up and dropped-off for an extra \$20 per week. Pick up/Drop off location: Whetstone Community Center, 3923 N. High St.
- Campers will leave Whetstone at 7:30 am and return at 4:30 pm.
- During Sessions 2 & 6, the van will not return campers to Whetstone on Thursday afternoon or pick them up on Friday morning. After the Thursday overnight, campers will return at 11:30 am on Friday.
- Campers must be picked up at the drop off times. There is no flexible drop off or pick up time.



Soccer Camp

Challenger British Soccer Camp

Ages 3-14 (age as of first day of camp)

Each coach, from England, Scotland or Wales, holds a national coaching license from Great Britain and is specifically trained for the camp program. This program provides half or full day camps with an emphasis on individual and team skill development. To ensure a quality experience for each player, camper to coach ratio is approximately 1:15. Each camper will go through the British Soccer program or individual foot skill development, technical and tactical practices, small sided games and coached scrimmages. Come to camp to learn more about soccer, become a better player and have FUN! Campers will be grouped according to age and ability.

Session 0

June 6-10

Session 6

July 18-22

Site

Whetstone Park of Roses

3923 North High St., 43214

Hours

Age 3 • First Kicks

• 9 - 10 am

Ages 4-5 • Mini-Soccer

• 10:15 am - 12:15 pm

Ages 6-16 • Half Day Camp

• 9 am - noon

• 1 - 4 pm

Ages 8-16 • Full Day Camp

• 9 am - 4 pm*

*Flexible drop off between 8 - 9 am

Please bring your own lunch.

Registration & Fees*

All fees are per child per week.

First Kicks\$67 (3 year-olds)

Mini Camp\$88 (4 & 5 year-olds)

Half Day Camps ..\$106 (6-16 yrs.)

Full Day Camp.....\$157 (8-16 yrs.)

Transportation is not provided.

Fees include a hand-stitched soccer ball, Challenger British Soccer camp shirt, and an individual skills evaluation from the coach.

Sorry, no sibling discounts. Participants of the full day camps should bring a packed lunch.

Register online at www.challengersports.com, in-person at community centers or mail-in. See page 22 for additional registration information. (Registration will not be available on Activenet.)

Applications also available at all community centers.

*Applications received less than 10 days prior to the camp will be assessed a \$10 late fee.



**Register online at
www.challengersports.com
by April 22 for Session 0 and
by June 3 for Session 6 to receive
a free British Soccer jersey!**

Online Registration



Summer Camp Registration now online...

For a small convenience fee, you can register for many of our programs from the comfort of your home or anywhere you have internet access.

Create your account now...

In order to register online, every family and/or individual must create an account.
Please go to: **www.activenet.active.com/columbusrecparks**

To create your account, click on the "New Account" button and follow the directions. It is very simple and should take approximately 10 minutes to complete. When creating an account, please include every family member that will be using our camps or classes. If you need assistance, come to the Camp Expo on February 24 (see page 2).

Beginning February 18, summer camps will be able to be viewed under activities on the Activenet web site. It is recommended that you create your family's account and familiarize yourself with the site prior to registration on March 5.

What appears on the website:

Welcome to Columbus Recreation and Parks Department

My Account

How do I access my account information?

Click on the button above to access your account information. Features include the ability to look up your family's schedule, past receipts, how to change your password, and much more.

New Account

How do I get started?

To take full advantage of online services, an adult member of your family must have a Login and Password on account with us. When creating an account, please include every family member that will be using our camps or classes.

View Activities

What summer camps are offered?

After clicking "**View Activities**," click the down arrow next to "**Activity Type**" and choose desired section (ex. Community Recreation Camps, Outdoor Education, Therapeutic Recreation). (Do not search by location.)

FAQS

How do I get Help?



Registration Policies & Procedures

How to Register for Community Recreation and Sports Camps

Registration is done on a first-come, first-served basis. To register for Indian Village, Camp Terra, Capital Kids, School's Out or Therapeutic Recreation, please see instructions on those pages.

Please see page 21 for details on Activenet.

- **Online:** Registration will begin on March 5 at 10 am. To register for camps listed on pages 12-19, click the down arrow next to "**Activity Type**" and choose "Community Recreation Camps." Locate your desired camp. Payment by credit card is required at time of registration. A payment plan is available.

- **In-person:** On March 5 between 10 am - 4 pm, visit any Columbus Recreation and Parks Community Center to register. Please have registration form on page 23 & 24 completed. Having your Activenet account created will expedite the registration process. In-person registration will continue March 8-11 from 1-3 pm and 6-8 pm. After March 11, please contact your community center for registration times.

Payment is required for registration. A payment plan is available and the initial amount due will be determined at the time of registration. Checks, credit cards (VISA, MasterCard or Discover) or cash are accepted.

- **Mail-in Registration:** Registration forms received in the mail will not be processed until after the initial March 5 registration. Complete the registration form on pages 23 & 24 and mail to:

Camps

Columbus Recreation & Parks
1111 East Broad St., Suite 103
Columbus, OH 43205

Payment options: On registration form, please check payment option. Do not send checks or money orders with mail-in registration.

1. Charge full amount to credit card
2. Payment Plan: Credit card will be charged on the Monday one week prior to actual camp week.
3. Bill me: An invoice will be mailed to your home.

NOTE: Some camps will be full after the initial registration day.

Fax 614-645-0686

Cancellations

The Columbus Recreation and Parks Department reserves the right to cancel or adjust camp schedules due to an insufficient number of participants. In the event of cancellation, you will be notified by phone. You may transfer to another open camp or receive a full refund.

Special Services

We welcome and invite all individuals and families from our community to use the Columbus Recreation and Parks Department services. If you have a disabling condition and would like more information and support for accessibility of programs and facilities, call 645-5648. Every effort will be made to accommodate all participants.

Returned Check Fee

If your check is returned to us by the bank for any reason, you will be assessed a \$25 fee, payable upon notice to the City of Columbus.

Residency Policy

A resident is anyone who physically resides within the city limits of the City of Columbus. All those who live outside the city limits of Columbus must pay non-resident fees.

P.L.A.Y. Grants

Camp grants may be available through the Columbus Recreation and Parks Department's P.L.A.Y. (Private Leisure Assistance for Youth) program. Pick up applications at your nearest community center or call 645-3325. Additional information about this program is on page 42.

Refunds

In order to receive a full refund, a request must be called in to 645-7000 three weeks prior to camp week and followed up with an explanatory letter before the refund will be processed. Refunds take 6-8 weeks to process. Refunds requested less than three weeks prior will receive a 50 percent refund. **A \$15 processing fee will be assessed for each refund request.**

Columbus Recreation & Parks 2011 Registration

For Office Use Only

Complete the form below to register for camps. Use a separate form for each child registering. Form may be copied.

The following information must be completed in its entirety for registration. This information will be used to create an Active account (online registration) if a family does not already have an account.

Are you a resident of the City of Columbus? (circle one) **YES** **NO**

1. Child's Name _____

Age _____ **Date of Birth** ____/____/____ **Gender** (circle one) **Male** **Female**

2. Parent/Guardian Name(s) _____

Date of Birth ____/____/____ **Relationship** _____ **Gender** (circle one) **Male** **Female**

Address _____ **City** _____ **Zip** _____

Home Phone _____ **Work Phone** _____ **Cell Phone** _____

E-mail address _____

Emergency Contact & Phone _____

For Mail in only:

- ☐ Charge full amount to credit card
- ☐ Charge first week of camps only (payment plan will charge my card automatically)
- ☐ Bill me

Credit Card Information:

Number: _____

Expiration Date: ____/____ **Please circle Visa MasterCard Discover**

Fees for all the camps on this page are the same. Residents: \$80/Non-Residents: \$96

Session 4: (Reduced due to the July 4 holiday) Residents: \$65/Non-Residents: \$80

Shaded areas indicate NO CAMP offered during that session.

	Session 0	Session 1	Session 2	Session 3	Session 4	Session 5	Session 6	Session 7	Session 8	Session 9	Total Cost
CAMP NAME	June 6- June 10	June 13- June 17	June 20- June 24	June 27- July 1	July 5- July 8 (Holiday 7/4)	July 11- July 15	July 18- July 22	July 25- July 30	Aug 1- Aug 5	Aug 8- Aug 12	
<i>Example:</i> Camp Lazelle			X			X					\$160
Camp Barnett	No Camps									No Camps	
Camp Buckeye											
Camp Far East											
Camp Lazelle											
Camp Whetstone											
Camp Woodward											
Cheerleading Camp										Whetstone	
Gymnastics Camp	Whetstone								Whetstone		
<i>AM/PM Transportation \$20</i>											
Hockey Camp										Dodge	

- Registration forms received in the mail will not be processed until after the March 5 initial registration.
- Online and in-person registration begins March 5, see pages 21 and 22 for details.
- Medical forms will be mailed or e-mailed along with camp information letters prior to your child attending camp.

☐ Please check here if you need an accommodation, in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, to effectively participate in an activity or at a facility. A staff member will contact you for more information.

	Session 0	Session 1	Session 2	Session 3	Session 4	Session 5	Session 6	Session 7	Session 8	Ses- sion 9	Total Cost
CAMP NAME	June 6- June 10	June 13- June 17	June 20- June 24	June 27- July 1	July 5- July 8 (Holiday 7/4)	July 11- July 15	July 18- July 22	July 25- July 29	Aug 1- Aug 5	Aug 8- Aug 12	
Great Art Getaway at Smith Farms Resident \$80 Non-resident \$96											
Check for AM/PM Transportation \$20											
Teen Great Art Getaway at Smith Farms Resident \$80 Non-resident \$96											
Check for AM/PM Transportation \$20											
Next Level Basketball Camp Resident \$80 Non-resident \$96		Ages 7-9	Ages 10-14	Ages 7-12		Girls Only Ages 9-17	Grades 8-12	Ages 11-15			
Lil Dribblers Resident \$40 Non-resident \$48					Ages 4-6						
Football Camp Resident \$69 Non-resident \$82											
Tennis Camp Resident \$80 Non-resident \$96		Whetstone				Whetstone					
Track & Field Camp Resident \$80 Non-resident \$96		Far East	Whetstone								
Challenger British Soccer Camp	At Whetstone Circle One						At Whetstone Circle One				
First Kicks \$67	First Kicks						First Kicks				
Mini \$88	Mini						Mini				
Half Day \$106	Half AM Half PM						Half AM Half PM				
Full Day \$157	Full Day						Full Day				

Total Amount Due*

\$.00

*For mail-in registration, do not send check or cash. Provide credit card information or you will be invoiced.
Forms received in the mail will not be processed until after the March 5 initial registration.

Mail form to:

Camps • Columbus Recreation and Parks Dept. • 1111 East Broad St. • Columbus • Ohio • 43205

For complete registration policies and procedures please see page 21 and 22.

Therapeutic Recreation



Ages 6 and over (must be enrolled in school)

Our Therapeutic Recreation section conducts recreational activities that are modified to meet the needs of individuals with disabilities. The highlight of the therapeutic program is the Summer of Fun Adventure Day Camp. Each one week session will feature activities and trips built around a theme. These camps are inclusive and every effort will be made to accommodate the special needs of the campers.

Summer of Fun and Adventure Day Camp

Camps will be held at Dodge Community Center and Franklin Park Adventure Center.



Having a Ball • Campers will have tons of fun while engaging in a variety of games involving a ball. Beach balls, ping pong balls, softballs, kickballs, etc. You name it, we will have fun with it.

Lots-a-Art • Art, Art and more Art make up this fun-filled week.

Red, White and Blue • Special events will include a family picnic and lots of games.

Giving Back • Campers will have a chance to give back to the community by getting involved in several volunteer activities.

The Great Outdoors • Explore our parks to learn about nature. This week will include a scavenger hunt, bird walk and a trip to the Audubon Center.

Camp'n Challenge • Daily challenges for campers, ending with an overnight camp out at Walnut Bluffs.

Got Talent • Showcase your talent at our annual talent show.

Fees

Sports Camp: \$50

\$80 per week-sessions 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7

\$65 per week-session 3 (due to holiday)

\$10 additional fee per week for early drop off

\$20 additional fee per week for late pick up

All fees must be paid on or before the first day of camp.

Breakfast and lunch provided.

Hours

8:30 am - 3 pm Mon - Thurs

8:30 am - 2 pm Fri

Early drop off between 7:15-8:15 am: \$10 per week

Late pick up between 3:15-5:15 pm: \$20 per week

No late pick up on Friday!

All children must arrive by 9 am.

Registration

- Online, at www.activenet.active/columbusrecparks.com, begins March 5 at 10 am.
- Walk-in registration at Franklin Park Adventure Center on March 5 from 10 am - 4 pm.
- After March 5, please call 645-8597 for walk-in registration times.

Registration questions can be answered at the Camp Expo on February 24 at Franklin Park and on page 21 of this brochure. Financial aid is available to those who qualify; see page 42 for more information.

Sessions	Dodge Park	Franklin Park
June 13-15	No camp at Dodge	Multi Sports Camp
1 June 20-24	Having a Ball	The Great Outdoors
2 June 27-July 1	Red, White and Blue	Red, White and Blue
3 July 5-8	Lots-a-Art	Giving Back
4 July 11-15	Giving Back	Having a Ball
5 July 18-22	The Great Outdoors	Camp'n Challenge
6 July 25-29	Camp'n Challenge	Lots-a-Art
7 Aug. 1-5	Got Talent	Got Talent

SPORTS CAMP

Three-Day Multi-Sports Camp

June 13 - 15 Fee: \$50

Held at Franklin Park Adventure Center, this camp features a variety of sporting

opportunities for your child from beginner to advanced skill development in basketball, tennis, fitness,

track and field, football, bocce and power soccer. Space is limited for this session.





School's Out

Ages 6-14 (must have completed kindergarten as of June 13, 2011, and be no older than 14 by this date)

A day long, well-supervised program that will allow children to take part in a variety of activities planned to increase their mental, cultural and physical fitness awareness in a safe and secure environment.

Activities will be designed to make use of many current programs, as well as offer a variety of field trips, library visits, aerobics, and arts and crafts. This program is designed to especially meet the needs of working parents.

Hours & Dates

7 am - 6 pm

Mon - Fri, June 13 - Aug 12

Flexible drop off time between 7- 9 am

Flexible pick up time between 4 - 6 pm

All children must arrive by 9 am and must be picked up after 4 pm, but not later than 6 pm.

Sites

Blackburn Community Center

263 Carpenter St. (05)

Howard Community Center

2505 N. Cassady Ave. (19)

Marion Franklin Community Center

2801 Lockbourne Rd. (07)

Thompson Community Center

1189 Dennison Ave. (01)

Income Eligibility

This program is open to residents of Columbus that meet the following guidelines (guidelines may change prior to the start of the program to provide for 2011 increases):

Family size	Income amounts
2-person	\$43,950
3-person	\$49,450
4-person	\$54,900
5-person	\$59,300
6-person	\$63,700
7-person	\$68,100
8-person	\$72,500



Registration

All applicants must bring to registration:

- A copy that can be kept of the first two pages of your 2010 Federal 1040 tax form that you filed with the IRS. If your filing status was "Married Filing Separately", a copy of your spouse's 2010 1040 tax form must be submitted as well.
- A completed 2011 application for the program. No previous years' applications will be accepted.
- A copy that we can keep of each child's birth certificate. Although a certified copy is not required, the copy that you submit should show the certification stamp of the certificate in which the copy was made.

NO OTHER FORMS OF ID WILL BE ACCEPTED. COPIES WILL NOT BE MADE FOR APPLICANTS ON SITE.

There are **50** spaces for 6-12 year-olds and **10** spaces for 13-14 year-olds available at each site.

Registration will begin Tuesday, April 19 and will end when all site are filled and is on a FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED basis. Once a site is filled, applicants will be placed on a waiting list. **No Lottery Registration this year!** No applications will be accepted prior to April 19. Payment of \$25 by money order only, made payable to City of Columbus, must accompany your application. This payment pays for the first week of the program.

You may register by dropping off applications and payment (no mail-in) with all appropriate tax forms and birth certificates at Thompson Community Center, 1189 Dennison Ave. An application is included in this brochure on the next page, available at all School's Out sites and posted on www.columbusrecparks.com.

All applications must be completely filled out or they will not be accepted.

Fee

\$25 money order must accompany each child's application which will pay for the first week of the program.

Cost is \$25 per week, per child, payable in biweekly increments (\$50) beginning second week of program, and by money order only.



SCHOOL'S OUT PROGRAM APPLICATION
SUMMER 2011

ALL INFORMATION MUST BE FILLED OUT COMPLETELY AND MUST BE LEGIBLE

Site: (circle only one)

Blackburn

Howard

Marion Franklin

Thompson

Total # in family _____ Yearly Income \$ _____ (AGI – Adjusted Gross Income from Federal form 1040)

1. Child resides primarily with:

(circle one) Mother Father Guardian Both

2. Parent #1 Name:

_____ Last

_____ First

_____ MI

Address: _____

Number & Street

City _____ State _____

Zip _____

Home Phone (____) _____

Work Phone (____) _____

Ext. _____

Cell Phone (____) _____

Email _____

3. Parent #2 Name:

_____ Last

_____ First

_____ MI

Address: _____

Number & Street

City _____ State _____

Zip _____

Home Phone (____) _____

Work Phone (____) _____

Ext. _____

Cell Phone (____) _____

Email _____

4. Child 1 Name:

_____ Last

_____ First

_____ MI

Gender: (circle one) Male Female

Date of Birth: ____/____/____

Age: _____

Grade in Fall 2011: _____

Last School Attended: _____

Health Conditions (circle all that apply) Speech Impairment Hearing Impairment Vision Impaired

Asthma Diabetes Hyperactivity Medications: _____

Allergies: _____

Other Illness: (explain) _____

Hispanic/Latino _____ Non-Hispanic/Non-Latino _____

White _____ Asian _____ Alaskan Native _____ Amer. Indian _____

Check All that Apply: African American/Black _____

Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander _____

5. Child 2 Name:

_____ Last

_____ First

_____ MI

Gender: (circle one) Male Female

Date of Birth: ____/____/____

Age: _____

Grade in Fall 2011: _____

Last School Attended: _____

Health Conditions (circle all that apply) Speech Impairment Hearing Impairment Vision Impaired

Asthma Diabetes Hyperactivity Medications: _____

Allergies: _____

Other Illness: (explain) _____

Hispanic/Latino _____ Non-Hispanic/Non-Latino _____

White _____ Asian _____ Alaskan Native _____ Amer. Indian _____

Check All that Apply: African American/Black _____

Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander _____

6. Child 3 Name:

_____ Last

_____ First

_____ MI

Gender: (circle one) Male Female

Date of Birth: ____/____/____

Age: _____

Grade in Fall 2011: _____

Last School Attended: _____

Health Conditions (circle all that apply) Speech Impairment Hearing Impairment Vision Impaired

Asthma Diabetes Hyperactivity Medications: _____

Allergies: _____

Other Illness: (explain) _____

Hispanic/Latino _____ Non-Hispanic/Non-Latino _____

White _____ Asian _____ Alaskan Native _____ Amer. Indian _____

Check All that Apply: African American/Black _____

Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander _____

Family Name (Parents): _____

7. Child 4 Name: _____
Last First MI
Gender: (circle one) Male Female Date of Birth: ____/____/____ Age: ____
Grade in Fall 2011: _____ Last School Attended: _____
Health Conditions (circle all that apply) Speech Impairment Hearing Impairment Vision Impaired
Asthma Diabetes Hyperactivity Medications: _____
Allergies: _____ Other Illness: (explain) _____
Hispanic/Latino____ Non-Hispanic/Non-Latino____
Check All that Apply: African American/Black____ White____ Asian____ Alaskan native____ Amer. Indian____
Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander____

I have filled in the required above information, and guarantee that all information, to the best of my knowledge, is correct, concerning qualifications for this program. I understand and agree that my child can and will participate in all activities. I also understand that non-participation in any activity is grounds for immediate exclusion and/or dismissal from the program.

PARENT SIGNATURE **TODAY'S DATE** ____/____/____

8. AUTHORIZED ESCORTS (other than parents)

Name	Relationship
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____
4. _____	_____

9. EMERGENCY CONTACTS (other than parents)

Name	Home Phone	Cell Phone	Work Phone
1. _____	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____	_____

10. SCHOOL'S OUT EMERGENCY MEDICAL AUTHORIZATION
PLEASE COMPLETE

In the event that reasonable attempts to contact me or my child's 2nd and/or 3rd parent has been unsuccessful, I hereby give my consent for the administration of any treatment deemed necessary by a licensed physician, and the transfer of my child to Nationwide Children's Hospital or any hospital reasonably accessible. This authorization does not cover major surgery unless medical opinions of two other licensed physicians, concurring in the necessity for such surgery are obtained prior to the performance of such surgery.

Date ____/____/____ Parent/Guardian Signature _____

11. SCHOOL'S OUT ACTIVITY RELEASE
(CHILDREN MUST PARTICIPATE IN ALL ACTIVITIES)

CHILD'S NAME _____ has my permission to participate in all field trips, activities and swimming lessons offered during the School's Out Day Camp Program. I also authorize the City of Columbus to take all the necessary steps to insure my child's health and safety in case of an emergency. Furthermore, I agree to hold the City of Columbus, the leaders, counselors and sponsors free and harmless from damage to property or injury sustained by participation that results from the operation of this program. I also hereby authorize the City of Columbus to use my child's name and photograph for educational and public relations purposes.

Date ____/____/____ Parent/Guardian Signature _____

Discover Boating



Ages 10-18

A watercraft instruction camp that will teach basic sailing and canoeing skills at the O'Shaughnessy Reservoir. Open to children ages 10-18 years and have intermediate level swimming skills. All applicants must take a water test which requires jumping into water over their head and floating, swimming or treading water for three minutes. All boating equipment will be provided.

Site

O'Shaughnessy Reservoir
9610 Riverside Dr., Powell 43065

Fee

\$85 per session
\$100 per session with transportation

Hours

10:30 am - 3:30 pm

Registration

ALL REGISTRATION WILL BE DONE ONLINE.
www.activenet.active.com/columbusrecreparks
Families must have an account with Activenet to register for the boating program. (See page 21 for more information on creating an account.)

Registration begins May 1 and continues until all sessions are full.

Financial Aid is available for those who qualify.
See page 42 for more information.

For more information, call 645-3129 or after June 22, call 645-3232.

Sessions

- 1 June 27-July 1
- 2 July 5-8 (no class, Monday, July 4)
- 3 July 11-15
- 4 July 18-22
- 5 July 25-29
- 6 Aug 1-5
- 7 Aug 8-12



Transportation

\$15 per session, per child

Round-trip transportation will be provided to O'Shaughnessy Reservoir from the Columbus Aquatics Center, 1160 Hunter Ave, 43201. Transportation is limited to the first 12 students who request it.

Departure time: 10 am Return time: 4 pm



Capital Kids Summer Program

We are pleased to offer Capital Kids programming again this summer. Priority will be given to children who are currently enrolled in Capital Kids. The application process begins April 25.

Our eight-week summer program begins **Monday, June 13** and ends **Friday, August 5**.

There is a \$80 registration fee for all participants.

Summer program hours will be from 9 am to 5 pm, Mon. - Fri.

Daily activities can include: academics, computer technology, recreation and social activities, art, field trips, clubs of interest, swimming, breakfast, lunch, and snacks.

Capital Kids Program guidelines, as outlined in the Parent Handbook, will be followed.



Locations

Beatty Community Center
247 N. Ohio Ave., 43203
645-3635

Douglas Community Center
1250 Windsor Ave., 43211
645-3636

Marion Franklin Community Center
2801 Lockbourne Rd., 43207
645-5456

Sullivant Gardens Community Center
755 Renick St., 43223
645-5587



Applications can be obtained at each program site and online at www.columbusrecparcs.com.

Outdoor Education



Indian Village Camp • Camp Terra • Camp Terra Preschool

Give your children the opportunity to reconnect with nature this summer! Children spend the day outdoors playing games, building forts, creeking, hiking, canoeing, getting dirty and having a BLAST! We promise to send your children home dirty and tired!! For more information, visit our website www.columbusrecparcs.com or call 614-645-5980. Online registration begins March 5.

Two Great Locations

Camp Terra at Antrim Park
5800 Olentangy River Rd.
Columbus, OH 43235

Indian Village
3200 Indian Village Rd.
Columbus, OH 43221



Canoeing at Camp Terra



Climbing Wall at Indian Village

What do our parents say about us?

What activity did your child like least? "When it was time to leave." - *Pam B.*

"This was my daughter's third camp this year and it was her favorite. She came home so dirty every day which was great. I plan on sending her next year also!" - *Jeanne J.*

"My son didn't complain about ANYTHING. This was the most successful camp he's ever attended!" - *Kathi M.*

Counselor in Training (CIT) Program

Teens ages 13-17 that are completing the 7th grade are eligible to apply for our Counselor in Training (CIT) program. CITs work alongside camp counselors assisting with games, fishing, canoeing and much more. Interested individuals are required to submit an application and interview for the position. More information and applications are available at www.columbusrecparcs.com - Outdoor Education. Application deadline is April 15.



Indian Village Outdoor Education Center

Offering a variety of year round nature and outdoor skills programs for children and adults.

- Birthday Parties with a Nature Twist
- Scout and Youth Group Programs
- Outdoor Skills Classes
 - Archery
 - Fishing
 - Canoeing
- Summer and Winter Day Camps
- Special Events
 - Spring Clean Up
 - Earth Day Open House
 - Family Fishing Festival
 - Creatures of the Night
 - Haunted Overnight
- School Programs
- Portable Climbing Wall Rentals
- Nature Programs
 - Owl Prowl
 - Sensory Night Hike
 - Outdoor Hour



50+ Programs

The Columbus Recreation and Parks Department offers programming for people age 50+ at six of our community centers. Listed below are their locations and contact information. Each center can provide you with a current schedule of their classes and upcoming events.

Dodge 50+ Center

667 Sullivant Ave.
645-3176
Jan Guess, Manager
Just west of downtown, off Town St.

Gillie 50+ Center

4625 Morse Centre Rd.
645-3106
Maureen Murphy, Manager
In the Morse Centre at 2100 Morse Rd.

Lazelle Woods 50+ Center

8140 Sancus Blvd.
645-5330
Anna Marie Brown, Manager
South of Polaris Pkwy. off Sancus Blvd.

Marion Franklin 50+ Center

2801 Lockbourne Rd.
645-3612
Anthony Dawkins, Manager
Just south of Rte. 104

Martin Janis 50+ Center

600 East 11th Ave
645-5954
Doreen Gosha, Manager
Southwest corner of Ohio State Fairgrounds

Whetstone 50+ Center

3923 N. High St.
645-3217
Rick Bruhn, Manager
In Clintonville in Whetstone Park

50+ Sports

Throughout the year, active folks over 50 continue to participate in their favorite sports through the following activities:

- **Softball leagues begin in May**
- **Winter Basketball**

Call Willie Crawford at 645-6023.

Now life really gets interesting!

Learn a new craft, dance, sing in a choir, make new friends, enjoy monthly special events, go on fabulous trips, or play cards.

50+ Membership Information:

Annual Fee: \$15 (good through Dec. 2011)

Leisure Card: \$1 (valid for one year) To enter any CRPD community center, participants need a Leisure Card; see page 3 for details.

50+ membership is valid at all 50+ centers listed here. Members receive monthly newsletters, which contain information on programming, and a discount for the 50+ Fitness Centers.

Water Aerobics

Dodge Pool • Mon & Wed 10 am
Marion Franklin • Tues & Thurs 10:30 am
Begins June 13

\$1 per visit or \$12 for a summer pass good at all locations purchased through your instructor at pool.

Call the Aquatics Center at 645-3129.

Now life really gets healthy!

Each of the 50+ centers offer a wide variety of health and fitness programs. Check with your center for a current schedule. Enjoy moderate to high energy programs such as aerobics, stretch 'n tone, water aerobics, walking and cycling, or try out some active relaxation programs such as yoga, tai chi or chi-lul. If you are interested in learning how to use free weights, cardio and resistance equipment, consider becoming a member of a 50+ Fitness Center.

50+ Fitness Centers

**Dodge • Gillie • Lazelle Woods
Marion Franklin • Whetstone**

Trained staff members will provide a waiver packet, lead you through an orientation session, evaluate fitness needs, and teach the use of treadmills, weight machines, stationary bikes, free weights and other equipment.

Fitness 50+ Centers have a monthly fee at reasonable rates.

Golden Hobby Shop

Located in Columbus' Historic German Village

630 South Third St.

645-8329

Hours: Tues-Sat, 10 am - 5 pm

A consignment shop for all artists and crafters, ages 50 and older, who live in Franklin County or the surrounding counties. Two floors of this renovated school building in the heart of scenic German Village are filled with gift items, furniture, quilts, jewelry and more. The Golden Hobby Shop is a great place to buy unique gifts for holidays, birthdays and graduations.



Gram & Gramp Camp



**What a great experience for grandparents and grandchildren to share.
Sign up now to have fun and create some lasting memories!**

For grandparents of any age and grandchildren age 8-14

This camp program is designed to provide an opportunity for grandparents and grandchildren to spend some quality, structured time together. Each day will be filled with a fun and exciting schedule. A few of the camp activities will be broken down into separate child and adult groups, but most activities will be combined to encourage interaction between the two generations. For the grandparent that prefers a less strenuous activity, a modified format or substitute activity may be available. Some grandparents may choose to assist staff with camp duties. All campers will be asked to bring copies of family photographs, family history and childhood stories to share with their grandparent. Some of these items will be used for scrapbooks and other family unit activities planned during the week.

Registration & Fees

Fee: Resident: \$125 for both participants

Non-Residents: \$150

\$15 discount for Columbus 50+ Center members



Mail in applications will be available at all community centers on February 24. Checks should be made payable to Gillie SRC.

Site: Indian Village Day Camp
3200 Indian Village Rd., 43221

Date: June 6-10

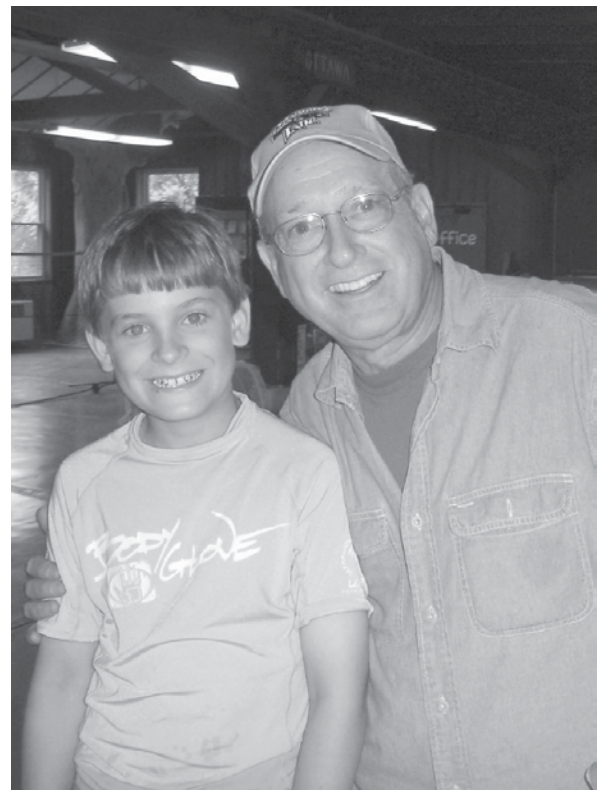
Hours: 9 am - 4 pm • Mon-Thurs
9 am - 1:30 pm • Fri

Family Night on Thurs, 4 - 8 pm

Transportation is on your own.

Camp Activities

Hiking	Pontoon Boat Ride
Fishing	Bingo
Crafts	Scavenger Hunt
Scrapbooking	Games & Contests
Family Projects	Dance
Challenge Course	Fitness
Archery	Nature Study
Volleyball	Walking





Cultural Arts Center

Cultural Arts Center

139 West Main St.

Nearest major intersection:

Civic Center Dr. and Main St.

For directions or info call:

645-7047

Administrative Coordinator:

Jennifer Johnson

Hours

Mon: 1 pm - 4 pm

Tue-Fri: 8:30 am - 4 pm

Mon-Thurs: 7 pm - 10 pm

Sat: 1 - 4:30 pm

Studio Class Registration

Registration is taken on a first come, first served basis, walk-in (cash, check, Visa/MasterCard/Discover) or online at www.culturalartscenteronline.org/how_to_register (Visa/MasterCard/Discover). Fees are due at the time of registration. Most studio classes cost \$50-\$57 for a 7 or 8-week term.

Registration: June 11-24

Term: June 27- Aug. 20

Conversations and Coffee...

a free weekly program that brings together artists and art lovers in a relaxed, casual setting. Artists show slides and/or examples of their work. You're invited to bring a brown bag lunch, and we supply the coffee!

Thursdays, 12 - 1 pm

Call 645-7047 for artist info.



The Cultural Arts Center is a home for the visual arts where adults of all skill levels have the opportunity to create with their hands and develop their artistic potential. **With 15 different medium taught, the Cultural Arts Center has something to entice everyone. Listed below is a small sampling of what is in store for you.** Call 645-7047 for more studio class schedule information.

Ceramics

Beginner students are introduced to pinch pots, slab and coiling methods, the potter's wheel, and decorating and glazing techniques. Advanced students may work in the method of their choice. Slips, glazes and firing are provided with \$15 lab fee. **FIRST CLASS IS MANDATORY.** Clay and tools are available for purchase.

Painting

Explore oil painting and acrylic painting in this course. Students supply their own subject matter and art materials such as paints, brushes and surfaces. An instructor will be available to answer questions and to conduct an end of session critique. This class is intended for intermediate and advanced students or for students who have taken *Painting for Beginners*.

Copper Enameling

Open to beginning through advanced students, this class is an introduction to the process of firing ground glass to copper surfaces. Students can make vessels, pictures and jewelry items. Experienced students work independently and bring their own copper, with project costs ranging from \$5 to \$50. Cost of enamel is included in the lab fee of \$15.

Jewelry

Beginner/Intermediate students learn to create unique projects in copper, brass and sterling. Projects are designed to acquaint students with college level metal working techniques such as: sawing, stamping, cold joining, soldering and stone setting. Bring a notebook and fine point marker. Advanced students may also register for these classes. Lab fee is \$15. Note: this is not a bead-oriented jewelry class.

Stone Carving

This class will introduce the beginner to the basics of hand carving tools and techniques. Focus will be on small-scale projects of limestone and alabaster. The first class will be a discussion of tools and supplies, and is mandatory.

Bronze Casting

Learn to cast a bronze sculpture using the lost-wax method. Open to beginners and experienced sculptors alike. Expect to complete a bronze sculpture between 5 and 10 lbs. Supplies discussed at first class. Lab fee is \$15.

Exhibitions...

The Cultural Arts Center (CAC) features the work of local, regional, and national artists in its Main Hall Gallery and provides CAC students the opportunity to exhibit work in the Loft Gallery. Call 645-7047 for exhibit schedule.



For more information, call 645-7047 or visit www.CulturalArtsCenterOnline.org

Columbus Performing Arts



Theatre Camps

Stay tuned to the web sites www.davisprograms.com and www.phoenix4kids.org for updates. Camps are one week long.

Mon - Fri, 9 am-3 pm

Cost \$150 per week; \$125 per additional siblings

Pre-school: \$25

Early drop off and late pick up is not available this year. Campers will create a mini show in just one week! Each week covers a different theme. Bring a brown bag lunch. Look below for camps that fit your child's age group.

AGES 4-5, 10-10:50 am

- June 20-24 Pages and Stages
- July 11-15 Music in Motion

AGES 6-8, 9 am-3 pm

- June 20-24 Shakespeare Says
- June 27-July 1 Scenes from the Big Screen
- July 11-15 Clown Around
- July 18-22 Stomp Jr.
- July 25-29 Fractured Fairy Tales
- Aug. 1-5 Phoenix Theatre Story Box
- Aug. 8-12 Musical Theatre

AGES 9-13, 9 am-3 pm

- June 20-24 Shakespeare Shout-out
- June 27-July 1 Film Creation
- July 11-15 Comedy Club
- July 18-22 World Theatre
- July 25-29 Films to Broadway
- Aug. 1-5 Musical Theatre -
Part I: Musical Creation
- Aug. 8-12 Musical Theatre -
Part II: Production Creation

AGES 13-18, Mon-Fri 4-7 pm

Cost \$125 per session

- June 27-July 1 &
July 6, 7, 8 Teen Film Academy
- Aug. 8-19 Music Creation Conservatory

Registration

- Registration may be made by phone: 469-0939

- Registration also will be accepted by mail to:

Summer Camps
Davis Performing Arts
39 E. State St.
Columbus, OH 43215

- Make checks payable to: Phoenix Theatre for Children.
- A one-time only, non-refundable \$25 registration fee per child is due at the time of registration.
- Camp fees must be paid two weeks prior to the start of each session, and will not be refunded after that date.

For more information:

Email: hburley@phoenix4kids.org

Website: www.phoenix4kids.org

Phone: 614-464-9400

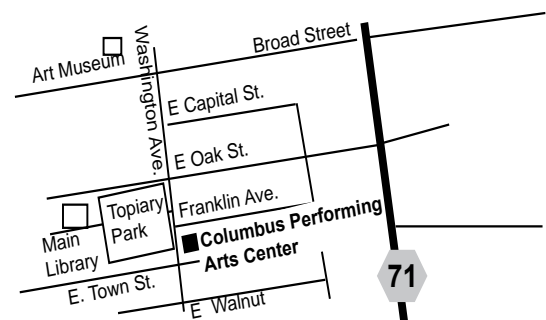
Columbus Performing Arts Center

549 Franklin Ave., 43215

Nearest major intersection:

E. Broad St. & Washington Ave.

Located across from the Topiary Park, behind the Main Library





Permit & Rental Services

Permit and Rental Services Section

The Jerry Hammond Center

1111 E. Broad St., Suite 103

Columbus, Ohio 43205

645-3337

Office Hours: Mon - Fri; 8 am - 3:30 pm

The Permit and Rental Services Section has rental facilities available for all occasions. We issue various permits for many types of events in and around City parks. Check out www.columbusrecparks.com for facility photos and descriptions. Call us today to book a space for your next family reunion, office occasion, wedding, birthday party, banquet, or other special event.

Wedding Sites

Goodale Park

- Gazebo next to pond

Topiary Gardens (Deaf School Park)

- Downtown park setting

Whetstone (Park of Roses)

- Three sites in Rose Garden



Goodale Park Gazebo

Shelter Houses

(Capacity noted for each location)

- Antrim (86) *NorthWest*
- Big Run (175) *SouthWest*
- Big Walnut (175) *East*
- Goodale (75) *Central*
- Retreat at Turnberry (120) *Far East*
- Westgate (120) *West*
- Whetstone Park of Roses (175) *North*
- Wolfe (100) *East Central*



North Bank Park Pavilion

Located in downtown Columbus on the banks of the Scioto River (near the Arena District).

This facility has a capacity of 100. The plaza can be tented to accommodate another 100 (200 total). Breathtaking views and an award winning design make this the perfect facility for a most memorable event.

Athletic Complexes (Gyms)

(Basketball & Volleyball use only)

Berliner • *South Central*

Big Run • *SouthWest*

Cleo Dumaree • *East Central*

McDonald • *NorthWest*

Willis • *NorthEast*

Public Marinas & Reservoirs

The four marinas are: Griggs • O'Shaughnessy

• Hoover • Red Bank (on Hoover Reservoir).

Dock your boat with us this season in order to avoid the long lines at the public boat launches and the hassle of transporting your boat.



Various Permits: Block parties/Street Closures, Marine Events, Special Activities in City parks, and more.

Sports Section



Main Office

1111 E. Broad St., Suite 103
645-3366

Office Hours: 8 am - 5 pm

Tournament/Event Hosting

"Outstanding Park Award"

Host your tournament or special event with us. We can provide you with quality facilities along with quality service. The National Softball Association has awarded our park with the Outstanding Park Award five years in a row. Contact the Sports Section for details. Starting in February, view the Tournament Calendar on www.crpdsports.org, providing you with the most current tournaments being hosted at our facilities along with important contacts.

Berliner Park

Berliner Park is a 31-diamond softball/baseball complex that will host several adult and youth tournaments, leagues and games throughout spring, summer and fall. There will be tournaments that involve 8 year-olds all the way up to 80 year-olds. As the largest softball/baseball complex in the world, it's truly the place to play for everyone.

Website

For your convenience, programs are available through online registration. Visit our website for schedules, standings, weather updates, directions to parks and the latest information.
Visit us at: www.crpdsports.org

Employment Opportunities

The Sports Section is continually recruiting individuals. Flexible hours available and you must be able to provide excellent customer service. Contact the Sports Section for information regarding officiating, score keeping, and possible batting cage attendant positions.

Advertising Opportunities

Advertising available at the ball fields. Great chance to be seen seven nights a week, 24 hours a day. Signs will be visible from late Mar. through Oct. One time set-up fee plus \$200 annual fee. Call the Sports Section 645-3366, for further details on advertising opportunities.

We do our best to provide our participants with diverse recreation to meet the needs and interests of the community. Adults must be at least 18 years of age to participate.

Adult Programs

Softball, our most popular program, is offered in the spring and concludes before the one pitch leagues start just after Labor Day. Indoor courts provide the setting for our basketball and volleyball leagues. Autumn in Columbus will find flag football leagues playing in our parks.

Youth Programs

Baseball Tournament Schedule (ages 9-18)
www.capcitybb.org
4/1-3 CRPD/USSSA King of Swing
4/15-17 CRPD/USSSA Championship Challenge
5/13-15 CRPD/USSSA Coaches Against MM
5/20-22 CRPD/USSSA Capital Cup Championship
6/3-5 USSSA Super NIT
6/24-26 USSSA Ohio State Championship
7/2-4 CRPD/USSSA Sharks Shootout
See website for more information.

Spring

Softball	• 10-week schedule
Basketball	• 7-week schedule
Football	• 7-week schedule
Volleyball	• 7-week schedule

Summer

Basketball	• 7-week schedule
Volleyball	• 7-week schedule
Football	• 7-week schedule

Fall

Basketball	• 7-week schedule
Football	• 7-week schedule
Softball	• 5-week schedule (one pitch-double headers)
Volleyball	• 7-week schedule

Winter

Basketball	• 7-week schedule
Volleyball	• 7-week schedule

Special Events

• July 2-3
Annual Christopher Columbus Tournament

• Sept. 24
Annual Screwball Softball Tournament

• Oct. 7
Nite Owl Tournament - all night tournament

Champ of Champs for summer softball, fall and winter basketball and winter volleyball.

Online registration at www.crpdsports.org

Parklands (soccer/football)	Athletic Complexes (basketball/volleyball)	Ball Fields (softball)
A. Busch • Antrim • Berliner Como • Deshler • Dodge Driving Park • Helsel • Hilltonia Johnson • Kenney • Krumm Lincoln • Linden • Marion Franklin Maryland • McCoy • McKinley Nafzger • Northcrest • Rhodes Southwood • Stockbridge • Tuttle Westgate • Whetstone • Woodward	Lou Berliner Bill McDonald Cleo Dumaree Willis Big Run	Berliner Sports Complex Anheuser Busch Northcrest Tuttle Whetstone



Golf

Columbus Municipal Golf

Administrative Offices

1111 E. Broad St., Suite 101

645-3375

Fax: 645-5767

www.columbuscitygolfcourses.com

A division of Columbus Recreation and Parks, Columbus Municipal Golf, operates seven public golf courses that offer a variety of locations, prices and challenges without the use of tax dollars. Columbus Municipal Golf provides the following services:

Golf Outings

Leagues

Tournaments and Special Events

Banquet Facilities

Reservable Tee Times

Driving Ranges/Practice Facilities

Fully-Stocked Pro Shops

Private and Group Lessons

Special Programming for Juniors & Seniors

Tournaments

Junior Tournament Series (ages 13-18)

June 13 June 15

June 20 June 22

June 27 June 29

July 6 July 11

July 13 July 18

Two-Day Tournament: July 25-26

For more information, call 645-3276.

Greater Columbus Amateur Championships

Women July 30 - 31

Men Aug. 13 - 14

Senior Men Sept. 12 - 13

For more information, call 645-3127.

Junior Golf

3-Day Camps

An entry level program for boys and girls, ages 7-17, designed to introduce them to the game of golf.

Instruction by golf professionals will cover:

Rules	Etiquette	Posture	Full Swing	Putting
Grip	Practice	Stance	Drills	Chipping

GOLF CORE PROGRAM

SITE	DATES	# OF CAMPERS
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Raymond Memorial June 27-29

9 - 10:15 am 75

10:30 - 11:45 am 75

Champions July 19-21

9 - 10:15 am 75

10:30 - 11:45 am 75

Space is limited in each camp

Call Champions or Raymond

Walnut Hill

6001 E. Livingston Ave., Columbus 43227
645-3100

9 Holes - Par 36

Regulation

	Yardage
Champ	3277
Regular	3109
Women	2684





Champions

3900 Westerville Rd., Columbus 43224
645-7111

18 Holes - Par 70

Championship Bentgrass

	Yardage	Rating	Slope
Champ	6555	71.2	133
Regular	6193	69.5	129
Women	5427	70.7	127

Wilson Road

1900 Wilson Rd., Columbus 43228
645-3221

9 Holes - Par 30

Mid-length

	Yardage
Champ	2014
Regular	1789
Women	1582

Turnberry

1145 Clubhouse Rd., Pickerington 43147
645-2582

18 Holes - Par 72

Championship Bentgrass

	Yardage	Rating	Slope
Champ	6757	71.8	124
Regular	6152	69.3	120
Women	5440	70.8	120
Gold	5883	68.0	116

Raymond Memorial

3860 Trabue Rd., Columbus 43228
645-3276

18 Holes - Par 72

Championship

	Yardage	Rating	Slope
Champ	6812	72.2	119
Regular	6424	70.4	116
Women	5113	68.9	113
Gold	5969	68.2	113

Airport

900 N. Hamilton Rd., Columbus 43219
645-3127

18 Holes - Par 70

Championship

	Yardage	Rating	Slope
Champ	6228	68.9	114
Regular	5839	67.0	111
Women	5418	69.8	115

Mentel Memorial

6005 Alkire Rd., Columbus 43119
645-3050

18 Holes - Par 72

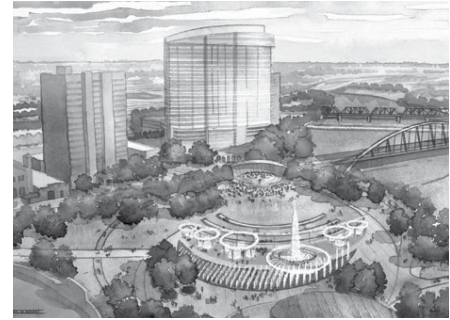
Championship

	Yardage	Rating	Slope
Champ	7034	72.5	123
Regular	6611	69.3	120
Women	5204	68.6	114
Gold	6251	70.6	118



The Scioto Mile

Stretching along the downtown riverfront from the vibrant Arena District to the natural beauty of the Whittier Peninsula, the Scioto Mile features lush parkland, fountains, scenic overlooks and a riverfront promenade.



New Along the Mile – Opening July, 2011

Promenade

The Promenade, a grand boulevard that stretches along Civic Center Drive from Broad Street to Rich Street, connects Battelle Riverfront Park with the John W. Galbreath Bicentennial Park. The Promenade features a stone colonnade with swings, gardens, water canals and table seating for a game of chess or dominoes. Lined with trees and seasonal flowers, the stone-paved pedestrian walk provides a canopy of shade during hot summer days. The Huntington Plaza fountains, in the center of the promenade, feature unique bronze fish playfully spouting water. The Town Street Prow, located at the site of the former Town Street Bridge, provides a scenic overlook of the Scioto River. Free Wi-Fi service, provided by Time Warner Cable, is available along the Promenade and throughout the Scioto Mile.

John W. Galbreath Bicentennial Park

Historically, one of Columbus' most popular parks, Bicentennial Park has been transformed to a downtown destination with the addition of a one-of-kind fountain, park restaurant and eye-catching performance pavilion. From flower gardens to fountain play and concerts to culinary delights, the park offers something for everyone.

American Electric Power Foundation Fountain

The American Electric Power Foundation Fountain is the centerpiece of Bicentennial Park. The stunning 15,000 square-foot fountain has more than 1,000 jets of water that take on a multitude of forms and shapes. The fountain has interactive features with access for children of all ages, as well as a 75-foot towering jet of water. At night the fountain experience is enhanced by unique lighting and fog effects that form a backdrop for artistic light projections. Fountain shows will take place daily throughout the summer.

Bicentennial Park Restaurant

Overlooking the park is a state-of-the-art, glass-enclosed restaurant with a covered outdoor dining terrace. Offering panoramic views of the fountain and riverfront, the restaurant is open daily for lunch and dinner. An architectural icon along the riverfront, the building design includes roof-top solar panels to help power the fountain and restaurant. Popular downtown restaurant operator, Columbus Brewing Company, will bring a new dining concept to the park.

Bicentennial Park Pavilion

Designed to enhance downtown arts and cultural experiences, Bicentennial Park is home to a brand new performance pavilion. The venue will host free music, dance and theatrical performances presented by the Recreation and Parks Department, as well as offer rental opportunities for other community events.

The Scioto Mile



Grand Opening Ceremony of the Scioto Mile

Thursday, July 7

5:30 - Bicentennial Park

After the ceremony, stay for an evening of celebration with fountain fun, free food and music!

Stroll along the riverfront promenade and be entertained by street performers, or relax on a blanket in the park to enjoy the evening concert and fountain show.

Music, Movies and More...



Movies on the Mile

Movies on the Mile presents crowd pleasing box-office hits before they are released on DVD, along with family favorites and classic cartoons. Take part in fun and interactive family activities, followed by an outdoor movie set against the downtown riverfront skyline.

Saturdays - June 11, June 18, July 9, July 16, August 20

7:00 pm - activities & concession sales begin

Dusk – movie screening

Riverfront Amphitheater in Genoa Park

Free admission

Rhythm on the River

Rhythm on the River features an eclectic series of touring artists, local musicians and arts organizations. A unique outdoor presentation of BalletMet Columbus is an annual highlight of the series. Delight in dinner on the patio of the new park restaurant, and then relax with family and friends to enjoy a performance at the park pavilion.

Fridays - July 8, August 12, August 26, September 2

8:00 pm

Bicentennial Park – blanket, lawn chair and park seating

Free admission



FountainSide

Join us FountainSide in Bicentennial Park on Wednesdays throughout the summer for free children's activities and live music! While the fountain bubbles, jets, sprinkles, mists and fogs, kids can take part in water play and special interactive programs designed to complement fountain fun. Meanwhile, the lunch crowd can enjoy live music from the restaurant patio or while picnicking in the park.

Wednesdays - July 13, July 27, August 3, August 10, August 17, August 24

11:30 am - 1:30 pm

Bicentennial Park fountain area



P.L.A.Y. Grants

Private Leisure Assistance for Youth

P.L.A.Y. Grants are available to financially challenged families with children who would like to participate in any fee-based program offered through Columbus Recreation and Parks. If eligibility requirements are met, P.L.A.Y. will assist in covering the cost of the program. In addition, P.L.A.Y. will cover the cost of one week of summer camp, per eligible participant, up to \$80.

P.L.A.Y. grants do not apply to the School's Out or Columbus Performing Arts programs.

An approved P.L.A.Y. application does not guarantee registration in a program. You must still go through the specific site's registration process. Only programs fiscally operated by the City

Eligibility Requirements

Proof of eligibility must be submitted with your application.

The four ways to prove eligibility are:

- Copy of current Medicaid, CareSource or Molina Card
- Copy of current ADC Benefits
- A current letter from the child's school stating he/she is on reduced/free lunch.
- A copy of your most recent federal or state income tax return. W-2's by themselves **do not** meet the eligibility requirements.

Applications

P.L.A.Y. applications for 2011 summer camps are available at all Community Centers or by emailing volunteers@columbus.gov and requesting a Summer Camp 2011 P.L.A.Y. Grant Application. P.L.A.Y. grant applications should then be completed and submitted along with camp registration and proof of eligibility.

To register for camps online, eligible P.L.A.Y. applicants will need a coupon code.

To receive a coupon code prior to February 18, mail P.L.A.Y. application and proof of eligibility to: Camps, Columbus Recreation and Parks, 1111 E. Broad St., Columbus OH 43205. **Coupon code will be emailed to parent.**

P.L.A.Y. will have representatives at the Camp Expo on February 24 for on-site approval and to give coupon codes. Applicants must bring proof of eligibility with them.

Registration process on/after March 5: Go to a Columbus Community Center for in-person registration and P.L.A.Y. approval.



Donations & Other Giving



Be a friend of your park or favorite center! **Support** wholesome family activities for kids of all ages! Your tax-deductible gift to Columbus Recreation and Parks will help sustain a variety of events and programs that improve the quality of your life. Please fill out the form below.

I want to support:

- ☐ **P.L.A.Y. Grants** (for kids who need it most!)
- ☐ **Children's Community Centers** (ping pong tables, gymnastic equipment, kilns, specific programs)
- ☐ **Events** (Fall Harvest Jamboree, Holiday Lights, etc.)
- ☐ **Therapeutic Recreation Equipment** (adaptable equipment for kids)
- ☐ **Playground Equipment** (swings and slides and fun stuff!)
- ☐ **Park of Roses** (for this option, checks should be made payable to *Park of Roses Foundation*)
- ☐ **Areas of Greatest Need**
- ☐ **50+ Centers** (exercise equipment, computer equipment, etc)
- ☐ **Arts**
- ☐ **Natural Resources** (Nature Preserves, Indian Village, etc.)
- ☐ **Trees** (buy some shade for your park)
- ☐ **Park Benches** (enjoy the shade while you relax)
- ☐ **Park Maintenance** (plant material and upkeep)
- ☐ **Trailways** (walking and bike paths)

With my gift of:

\$500_____ \$250_____ \$100_____ \$50_____ \$25_____ Other_____

☐ Charge my credit card: ☐ MasterCard ☐ Visa ☐ Discover

Credit Card # _____ Expiration Date: ____/____/____

Please make your check payable to **City of Columbus** and mail to:

Support Recreation!
Columbus Recreation and Parks Department/Development
1111 E. Broad St., Suite 101
Columbus, OH 43205

Gifts to Columbus Recreation and Parks are tax-deductible.

Volunteer Opportunities

The Columbus Recreation and Parks Department is always searching for new groups and individuals to volunteer with the many programs, events and parks that we have throughout the city. Here is a sample of how you could become involved:

Special Events
Outdoor Education
Therapeutic Recreation
Park Cleanups
Community Centers
Adopt-A-Park/Trail

Golf
50+ Centers
Youth Sports Coaching
Rose Garden
Central Ohio Area Agency on Aging

If you are 18 or older, we do require an application, criminal background check and waiver. If you are interested in obtaining more information about our volunteer program, contact volunteers@columbus.gov or call 645-3325.



On the Riverfront



There's no better way to celebrate summer than with hot ribs and cool jazz. The 32nd annual Jazz & Rib Fest returns to the Arena District riverfront on July 22-24. Groove to the finest local and international jazz artists, while BBQ pit masters serve up sizzling ribs, chicken and more. Savor the best ribs from around the country as 23 BBQ teams compete for "Best Ribs" bragging rights.



July 22 & 23, 11 am - 11 pm and July 24, 11 am - 8:30 pm
Arena District - North Bank Park and McFerson Commons
Free admission
www.HotRibsCoolJazz.org

The Santa Maria

Ship Location: ***The Santa Maria is located in Battelle Riverfront Park, 25 Marconi Blvd., in downtown Columbus.***

The Santa Maria is a full-size replica of Christopher Columbus' flagship and serves as a history museum.

Open April through October

Office: 645-8760 **Ship:** 645-0351
1111 East Broad Street, Lower Level
Columbus, OH 43205
www.santamaria.org



Santa Maria Day Camp

Ages 10-13 • July 13 or August 17

The Santa Maria ship museum is offering an open day camp. Activities include a cargo haul, tour of the ship, learning to use some navigational tools, knot tying and belaying to the main top (weather permitting).

\$18 per person
includes lunch & snack
For a reservation,
call: 645-8760

Reservation deadline: June 15
www.santamaria.org

Parks & Urban Forestry

Urban Forestry



Street Trees

The Forestry Division is responsible for the planting, pruning, and removal of trees on the public right-of-way. Trees growing along roads are called street trees and are generally located in the tree lawn, an area between the street and sidewalk. The tree lawn is within the street right-of-way and is public property as are the trees. If you have any questions, concerns or requests regarding street trees, please call the Forestry Office at 645-6640.

Permits

To ensure proper arboricultural standards are followed, a permit is required in order to plant, prune or remove a street tree. Please call the Forestry Office at 645-6640 and an Arborist will inspect the site to determine the maintenance needs.

Parks



The Topiary Garden

Deaf School Park, corner of E. Town St. and Washington Ave., in downtown Columbus, is the site of a unique arts project in process. George Seurat's famous post-impressionist painting, *A Sunday Afternoon On The Island Of La Grande Jatte*, is recreated in topiary, sculpted evergreen shrubbery. It is the only topiary interpretation of a painting in existence in the world.

The landscape of the painting consists of 50 topiary people, eight boats, three dogs, a monkey, a cat, and a real pond and trees. The largest figure is 12 feet tall!

The best time to view the topiaries is mid-July through November. Admission is free. Call 645-3350 for more information.

The Rose Garden

Located within Whetstone Park, 3923 N. High St., the Park of Roses is the crown jewel of the Columbus park system. The Park of Roses is a 13-acre, beautifully landscaped site containing 11,000 rose bushes and specialized collections of herbs, perennials and an Earthkind garden. No admission fee, ample parking and handicap accessible.

Dog Parks

Off leash parks specifically designed for pets and their owners. Visit our website for facility details.

- **Big Walnut Dog Park** (near east) Two acres on east side with large and small dog areas that open to a pond.
- **Three Creeks Dog Park at Sycamore Fields** (southeast) Six acres in south Columbus with both large and small dog areas.
- **Wheeler Memorial Dog Park**- (central) 1.5 acres in historic park in Harrison West.

